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CLUES AGAINST CLEWS.

HOW HE SWINDLED THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

The Real Reason Why Mr. John H. Inman Opposes Clews's Election to the Exchange—A Rotten Career as a Banker Disqualifies Henry from Association with Decent Men.

NEW YORK, April 25.—[Special.]—The attempt of Henry Clews to join the New York cotton exchange, and the sudden withdrawal of his application for what even to him seemed prudential reasons, would have been of little interest to THE CONSTITUTION or the exchange, if the affair had been kept within the scope of its true significance, but when the circumstance is perverted and an effort made to account for the opposition to Mr. Clews on the ground of sectional feeling, the absurd suggestion deserves to be repudiated in the strongest terms. To this end the president of the exchange will publish tomorrow morning an unanswerable refutation of that idea. Mr. John H. Inman scorns the insinuation that he would be actuated by any such narrow minded prejudice. Certainly the record by which he has made his wide reputation and achieved his excellent success, is proof enough against any such preposterous intimations.

Aside from this view of the matter, the president's publication tomorrow will show that the southern members of the exchange are not in the majority, and therefore could not, by ballot, dictate its policy nor control its management. There is a regular membership committee, whose duty it is to investigate the past record and present standing of every applicant. That committee is five in number, of whom four are northerners and one a southerner. The board of managers are eighteen—fourteen northerners, four southerners; and of the membership at large only about twenty-five per cent are southerners. These figures show how supremely ridiculous it would be for any southern man to offer opposition to an applicant on the ground of sectional prejudice or political difference.

Mr. Inman is opposed to the election of Mr. Clews, on the ground of what he regards that gentleman's irregularity during his financial agency of the state of Alabama. The charge against Mr. Clews in that connection is that in 1873 the state of Alabama gave him twelve notes of twenty-five thousand dollars each, and to secure the same made a special deposit with him of six hundred thousand dollars of Alabama bonds. That at the instance of Clews these bonds were not mentioned in the notes as collateral security, but that such fact was expressed in a written agreement between Clews and the governor and treasurer of Alabama; that subsequent to the negotiation of this loan Clews took the twelve notes and borrowed money on them from the Fourth National bank and on the bonds borrowed money from another banking institution, thus using both notes and bonds in such a way as to separate the state's obligation from the collateral which had been pledged specifically as security. It is owing to the charge against Mr. Clews of this transaction that Mr. Inman opposes his election to the cotton exchange. He said to me tonight:

"When Mr. Clews can satisfy any three reputable bankers of New York that by this charge he has been unjustly accused, I will withdraw my opposition to his election, but till then I will not be diverted by any such ridiculous suggestion as that the southern element of our exchange is antagonistic to him, because of his political predilections. I treat such bosh with the contempt it deserves."

This is a full statement of the matter put in the light of justice to Mr. Inman, and the many others who feel as he does in the matter, many of whom are not southerners.

M. J. V.

THE CALHOUN MONUMENT.

Charleston Crowded with Visitors—Members of the Cabinet Present.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 25.—The city is crowded tonight with visitors to attend the unveiling of the Calhoun monument here tomorrow. It is expected that the ceremonies will be the most elaborate ever known in Charleston. Secretary Lamar, Postmaster General Vilas, Secretary Fairchild, Senator Voorhees and L. Q Washington, arrived on a special train this morning, and are quartered at the Charleston hotel, where they received today a large number of visitors. Senators Hampton and Butler are also in the city, Governor Richardson and other state officers will be here tomorrow. Military companies from all parts of the state will take part in the parade.

This morning Secretary Lamar and his party were elegantly entertained at breakfast at the Charleston hotel by Mayor Courtenay, who was assisted in doing the honors of the occasion by a number of prominent local dignatories. Today Secretary Fairchild and General Vilas visited the harbor jetties under the escort of Superintendent of Public Buildings Devereaux and were much impressed by the work. Secretary Lamar and party are guests of the city. Tomorrow night they will be entertained at a reception by C. O. Will, president of the People's National bank, and on Wednesday night at a reception in honor of Mr. Lamar, at Geo. W. Williams's.

AMERICAN SHIPPING LEAGUE.

Convention of the Department of the South Atlantic.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 25.—The convention of the department of the South Atlantic coast of the American Shipping and Industrial league met at the city hall today. Owing to a slim attendance, the convention after the appointment of a committee on credentials adjourned until to morrow night. The following officers were reported for permanent organization: President, Hon. A. M. Waddell, Wilmington, N. C; secretary, W. H. Duncan, Barnwell, S. C; vice-president, Johnson Haywood, of South Carolina; I. V. L. Finlay, of Indiana; W. M. Lamb, of Virginia; W. L. Wilson, of West Virginia; F. W. Kirebner, of North Carolina; John Screven, of Georgia, and J. J. Daniels, of Florida. A feature of the proceedings tonight was an address by Colonel C. S. Hill, secretary of the National Shipping league, on the decadence of American marine; its causes and remedy.

WALTER LAWTON'S CRIME.

A Receiver Asked for to Take Charge of the Navassa Phosphate Company.

BALTIMORE, April 25.—In the United States circuit court today a bill was filed asking for an injunction and receiver for the Navassa phosphate company, body corporate of the state of New York. The bill alleges that Walter Lawton, president, absconded after issuing large amounts of fraudulent paper in the name of the company. Holders of such paper, to the amount of nearly $200,000, have threatened to issue attachments on the property of the company in this injunction. The prayer was granted, and Thomas M. Lanahan and Walter McAfee were appointed receivers to take charge of the assets of the company. They gave a bond for $500,000.

THE PRIVATE SECRETARY

Reads a Message to the New York Senate, Which is Tabled.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 25.—The senate chamber was more densely packed this evening than at any other time in the history of the legislature, in anticipation of a recurrence of Friday's scene. As soon as prayer was concluded, the governor's secretary, Colonel Rice, who had been in the chamber for some time previously, appeared in the open space before the desk with a vetoed bill, at the same time drawing from his pocket a blue envelope containing executive nominations. He proceeded in a distinct voice, to read the executive message. It formally withdrew the nominations of Messrs. Baker and Rogers and renominated Buckbee and Armstrong. There were no comments in the message—merely a formal statement.

Mr. Rice was listened to with profound attention. It was the first time a private secretary had ever read, in person, a message to the senate, that duty being usually performed by the clerk of the senate.

As soon as he had concluded and retired, Mr. Murphy, democrat, of New York, moved that the senate go into open executive session to consider the nominations.

Mr. Pitts, republican, objected and stated that there was grave doubt whether the private secretary's announcement was legal.

Lieutenant Governor Jones twice directed the clerk to read the nominations, but the latter made no reply.

Mr. Pitts moved to table the message and the motion was carried—18 to 10—a party vote.

One objection overruled Murphy's motion and it fell.

Reading of the journal followed. It contained no reference to the governor's message of Friday.

THE CASE AGAINST VINCENT.

It is Postponed Until the July Term of Court.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 25.—[Special.]—The case against Isaac H. Vincent, defaulting state treasurer, was called for trial in the city court this morning. Intense interest was manifested by the immense crowd present. Vincent came into court with the sheriff and his counsel. He was quite pale but appeared perfectly calm and collected, and stood the curious gaze of the multitude with equanimity. When the witnesses for the state were called, Solicitor General Lamar announced that Duncan Crawford and T. L Jones, two important witnesses necessary for the prosecution, were not present, though summoned. He would ask a continuance of the case to Monday, and that an attachment be issued against the defaulting witnesses. Ex-Governor Watts, leading counsel for Vincent, resisted the motion, and declared it would be injustice to the prisoner, who was ready for trial, and relied mainly upon him to conduct the defense, and he could not be present on Monday. Daniel Crawford, the father of Duncan Crawford, stated that his son was seriously ill at Anniston, and not in a condition to respond to the summons. This was corroborated, and after further argument the judge continued the case to the July term, greatly to the disappointment of the crowd which expected sensational developments.

Crawford was the confidential clerk to Vincent when the latter was treasurer.

LABOR JOURNALS.

All That Do Not Uphold Mr. Powderly to be Boycotted.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 25.—The Chronicle Telegraph publishes a long article this afternoon, in which it is stated that war has been declared by the general officers of the Knights of Labor, upon all who are not in accord with the present administration. To this end, it says:

A move, which partakes of the nature of a boycott, has been declared by the Powderly administration upon a large number of labor organs throughout the country. The last issue of the Journal of United Labor gives official notification of this move against all labor papers which have not been pronounced in favor of the present general officers. The Journal is recognized as the official organ of the Knights of Labor. Its contents are only published for the benefit of members of the order, and are guarded as carefully from the outside world as even Powderly's secret circulars.

A copy of the last issue, however, was seen today. It prefaces a list of twenty-two labor papers, distributed in different parts of the country, as follows:

"This list of labor papers we take pleasure in recommending. We will add to the list as occasion may warrant more."

The publication of this announcement is occasioning intense indignation throughout the country. Of the eight hundred labor journals throughout the country, but twenty-two are recommended by the general officers of the Knights of Labor to members of the order. It is practically a boycott on the others. It is said that these twenty-two papers have always favored Powderly' administration. It is being very generally commented upon that labor papers of Pittsburg are not in the list indorsed by the administration. They are not on record as yielding entirely to Mr. Powderly, though several, at least of them, are favorable to him. The list is to be increased as each paper incenses the administration.

A Disappointed Labor Politician.

NEW YORK, April 25.—John W. Franklin, who ran for mayor once on the labor ticket, today summoned Joseph Dooley, H. Oscar Cole, Richard Matthews and Bartholomew Quinn, members of the Bricklayers' union, to the police court, charging them with conspiring to deprive him of work and to prevent him from earning a living. The accused will be given a future hearing.

The Boycotted Patterns.

TROY, N. Y., April 25.—The boycotted stove patterns from St. Louis arrived in this city Saturday night, and as a result stove making in Troy in the foundries of the Defense association is at an end for the present. The foundries were all closed today, the molders having attended in a body the funeral of one of their number.

NOT MUCH OF A SECRET.

The Treaty for the Protection of Industrial Property.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The intelligence recently cabled from Berne that the United States has ratified the convention for the protection of industrial property, is supposed to have reference to the Paris convention of March, 1883. It was rejected by the senate of the United States three years ago, but some additional articles having been agreed on the senate on the second of last March ratified it. All documents in Washington regarding it bear the broad seal of the senate with the legend, "Confidential—don't leave this where it can be seen," and they are, therefore, not accessible to the public, but from the legations whose governments have ratified it and which make it no secret, it is learned that the convention referred to bears no marks, bill of lading and like commercial matters, and provides rules and penalties looking to their protection. The original convention is, in fact, contained in the British blue book of three years ago, and the whole matter is public property in every country but this.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

The Interstate Commission Leave for the South—Death of an Old Official.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The interstate commerce commission started for the south today.

James H. Marr, chief clerk to the first assistant postmaster-general, died today. Had he lived until June 1st he would have been in continuous public service fifty-six years.

Florida's Senatorial Election.

TALLHASSEE, Fla., April 25.—In the legislature today the vote for United States senator was: Pasco, 20, Perry, 27; Bloxham, 26, scattering, 6; Goodrich, republican, 18.

In the democratic caucus this evening the third ballot resulted as follows: Perry 32, Pasco 21, Bloxham 33. The caucus then adjourned till Monday night.

AN ECCENTRIC MAN.

A CITIZEN OF DETROIT MAKES A STARTLING ANNOUNCEMENT.

He Claims to be an Inventor and to Have Discovered the Secret of Longevity—Valuable Discoveries in Curing Animals of Diseases—He Refuses to Make Known His Secret.

DETROIT, Mich., April 25.—Theodore Munger is the name of a man who lives in a small cottage on Grand River avenue, this city, some distance beyond the toll gate. He is a tall, rather powerful-looking man, wearing a full gray beard, trimmed rather close, usually dressed in gray cloth, and wears cowhide boots. Mr. Munger has been a resident of Detroit for ten years or more, but until recently has attracted no attention. He now comes forward with the claim of having been the inventor of the Westinghouse air brake, from which invention he says he never has realized a dollar. He claims that he invented this valuable improvement about eighteen years ago, at the time an attempt was made to produce the result with steam on passenger car brakes.

Being in poor health at the time he says he revealed his invention to those working at the steam brakes, who have since taken advantage of it to deprive him of pecuniary and other benefits. Mr. Munger talks rationally about this invention and backs up his claim in the most circumstantial manner, yet very little belief in the correctness of his claim is manifested by those patent lawyers and others to whom he has submitted his data. It is possible that more attention would be paid it if there was the slightest chance of Munger realizing anything even if his claim be just.

He is in poor circumstances and ill health, in spite of his powerful looking physique, and his neighbors say that his mind has been unbalanced through brooding over this matter. It is, of course, likely that he is insane, in which event, however, due weight must still be given to the documentary evidence of his invention. Munger is certainly daft on some other questions. He claims to have made a new discovery of the true cause of the earth and other planets revolving upon their axes, which cause is altogether different from that generally believed in. He refuses to make known this discovery except upon certain conditions, one of which is that the various governments of the world will appoint a commission to investigate his theory, and if found to be correct will agree to pay him five cents per capita.

"I have spent," he says, "many years and much labor in establishing my theory, and I want the money to enable me to prosecute my investigations in other directions, many of which are retarded for lack of means."

Munger also claims to have made valuable discoveries as to curing animals of diseases, and also a method of improving the qualities and quantity of fruits, grains and vegetables. He claims to have discovered a remedy that will lengthen the average life of man and beast, which will make old men feel and look young, which will change their gray hair to its original color, which will repair the whole system, the mind as well as body.

In a general way he talks glibly of these alleged remarkable discoveries, and plainly shows that he is mentally unsound, on these subjects at least. He is now engaged in soliciting subscriptions to enable him to arrange and perfect his so-called system of longevity.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

A Trainman's Carelessness Causes the Death of Five Men.

SPOKANE FALLS, W. T., April 25.—It has just been learned that on Thursday afternoon, between three and four o'clock, a terrible accident occurred on the Cascade division of the Northern Pacific railway, four miles beyond Chelum. A west bound train, pushing a flat car loaded with laborers, was going around the curve leading to a trestle at a good rate of speed, when it ran into an engine which was running east, backing up. The flat car passed half way through the tender of the light engine and the other end crushed up against the pilot of the west-bound train, on which were two men. The unfortunate men were crushed to a pulp. The light engine was knocked eight feet. Five men were killed outright, and one has since died. The injured number eighteen. All of the physicians of Ellensburg were immediately sent to the scene by a special train, and have been rendering all the service possible.

The scene of the accident, as described by those present, beggars description. Blood is scattered in every direction, and the neighboring rocks bear evidence of a fearful carnage. The accident was the fault of one of the train's crew neglecting to flag, as per orders. The dead and injured were brought to Chelum Thursday night. District Attorney Sawelly has gone to the scene of the accident to make a thorough examination. There is no coroner in the county, so a jury will be impaneled by the nearest justice. This is the first accident that has happened on this division of the road.

FREIGHTS ADVANCING.

Effect of the Interstate Law on the Shipment of Zinc.

GALENA, Ill., April 25.—One effect of the interstate commerce bill has been to advance freight on zinc ores to LaSalle about $4 per ton. It is claimed that this will put a check upon one of the most important industries in this section, as zinc cannot be profitably mined and shipped at that rate of freight. The output of zinc ore in the counties of Lafayette and Granite, in southern Wisconsin, has averaged heretofore twenty carloads per day.

Oil Monopoly in Tennessee.

CHATTANOOGA, April 25.—[Special.]—The oil dealers today announced that they would not pay the outrageous revenue tax which was fixed at $1,000 by the last legislature. The bill, it was claimed, was "log rolled" through the legislature through the influences of the Standard Oil company. W. H. Tilford, president of the company, telegraphed to the Daily Times that his company knew nothing of the bill, but would fight it in court. This, however, does not destroy the belief that some "monopoly" was behind the bill. At all events the Standard Oil company has discontinued agencies at all towns in the state and dealers will be compelled to order from them. The matter promises to develop into a big scandal.

Accident to a Sportsman.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 25.—This afternoon, at Beaufort, Captain Strong, of the schooner Carrie Strong, shot himself accidentally while hunting, inflicting a fatal wound.

Prohibition Victory in Virginia.

HARRISONBURG, Va., April 25.—Local option elections were held today in four or five districts in this county. Harrisburg district gave 244 prohibition majority; Ashly district about 80, and the other two districts are claimed by the prohibitionists by small majorities. Everything passed off quietly.

Jake Sharp's Trial.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Jacob Sharp, of the Broadway Surface railroad notoriety, was called today in the court oyer and terminer for trial, on an indictment for bribery, having twenty-one counts. The defendant was not ready and the case was set for trial May 11th.

Disbanding an Assembly.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 25.—The silversmiths employed at the Gorham Manufacturing company works have voted to disband the local assembly of Knights of Labor in this city to which they belong.

THE GOVERNOR OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Makes a Formal Demand on the Governor of Georgia.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 25.—[Special.]—It was officially announced this morning that on Saturday evening Governor Richardson issued a requisition directed to Governor Gordon, for the delivery to the agent of South Carolina, of Officers Stone and McNally, charged with the kidnapping of Bakwell. The papers were issued Saturday evening, after consultation between Governor Richardson and Attorney General Earle, but it was deemed proper to withhold the announcement till today. The sheriff of Aiken county was designated as the agent of South Carolina and the papers were forwarded to him Saturday night. He left Aiken yesterday, expecting to reach Atlanta today. The requisition is founded upon the action of the grand jury of Aiken county which today has formally indicted both Stone and McNally. The feeling in that county is very strong in approval of the action of the grand jury and of Governor Richardson's course.

In fact, the governor has strongly commended himself to the press and people by his dignified and deliberate course in the matter. The attorney general and the governor were in conference this afternoon touching the future action, if any, in the matter of Blackwell's detention in Atlanta. What conclusion was reached is not known, but no action is expected for a few days, if, indeed, any action at all can be taken. Governor Richardson left this afternoon for Charleston, where he will take part in the ceremonies incident to the unveiling of the Calhoun monument.

WAR TALK IN ANADARKO.

Suppression of an Incipient Outbreak Among the Indians.

FORT WORTH, April 25.—Advices from Anadarko Indian agency, are to the effect that there has been great excitement there owing to the action of the Kiowas. War talk began over a week ago, but Quanah Parker, chief of the Comanches, not only held his own tribe in check, but influenced the better element of the Kiowas. But few of this tribe would listen to him, and with their war talk began depredations on the cattle men. A band of them roamed over the cattle country, visiting residences and greatly frightened the women and children. They made such demonstrations throughout the territories as to terrorize the children. The military were notified, and Captain Hall determined to withhold beef rations from the Kiowas that had caused trouble, but when Friday came, more of the leaders came in, and it was then determined to arrest them. This becoming known, the Kiowas became alarmed, and leaving their traps, wagons, etc., took their women and children and all their ponies to a stronghold on the Rainy mountains, about forty miles from Anadarko. Troops were at once sent in pursuit, and went into camp on the Wichita, eight miles from the Indian position. They advanced to the base of the mountain on the following night. After three days parley the Indians agreed to give up the offending Indians to the soldiers located near the fort, where they could be watched. The troops returned to Anadarko with the prisoners.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 25.—A correspondent has just returned from Winnebago and Crow Creek reservations, accompanied by Sheriff Harris. The greatest excitement exists. The Indians, covered with war paint and armed with winchesters, were met on the road mounted and following the troops. A company of the latter, reinforced by a mob of Indians, this morning proceeded to carry out the instructions. Sheriff Harris says there are over 300 actual farmers still residing on these lands. Many have plowed over fifty acres and put in seed, all of which will be destroyed. The number of settlers that came under President Cleveland's ousting proclamation was eight hundred. Half Breed Gillam, a scout, fears trouble with the Sioux, and reports them quietly leaving the Big Sioux reservation. Sheriff Harris returns tonight and will guard his property.

DEFENDED HER VIRTUE.

Terrible Murder of a Working Girl at Cleveland, Ohio.

CLEVELAND, O., April 25.—Shortly after midnight last night the dead body of Mary McCarthy, a domestic in the employ of Rev. Wilton M. Smith, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was found partly under the rear porch of the residence of C. D. Hatch, who lives at 355 Sibley street, and next door to Mr. Smith. Mr. Hatch's family had been aroused a short time before midnight by cries for help from the back yard, and the startling discovery was made when Mr. Hatch proceeded to investigate the cause of the outcry. The police were called and an examination of the surroundings convinced them that the girl had been murdered. Her hair and clothing were disarranged, her purse, hat and gloves lay in the front yard and some of her undergarments had been torn from her person. The girl was respectable, and had been absent during the afternoon and evening visiting her mother, who lives in another part of the city.

In the hasty investigation this morning the police were unable to find any marks of violence that would have caused death. The girl's nose had been bleeding and there was a slight scratch on her face and the first theory was that she had been assaulted by a man and had died from fright.

The post mortem held today, however, demonstrated that death was caused by strangulation, and that an attempt had been made to violate her person. It is now believed that the girl was choked to death while defending her virtue. There is not the slightest clue to the perpetrator of the outrage and murder.

Anti-Coercion Meeting in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, April 25.—Melodeon hall was crowded with people met to hold an anti-coercion meeting tonight. Mayor Smith presided. Addresses were made by ex-Congressman John F. Follett, ex-Minister to France F. F. Noyes, Congressman Charles F. Brown and Rev. M. C. Lockwood, and, by several Roman Catholic priests. Speeches were all expressive of sympathy for the efforts of Ireland to secure home rule. A resolution was adopted expressing admiration for Messrs. Parnell and Gladstone. It was also resolved to send Gladstone, Parnell and Lord Salisbury copies of the resolutions.

The Jewish Ministers.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The semi-annual conference of the Jewish Ministers' association of America is in session at Forty-fourth street synagogue today. Dr. Gotthell is presiding officer. Among those in attendance are Rev. Dr. A. Gutsman, of Syracuse; Rev. Dr. M. Jastrow, Philadelphia; Rev Dr. Raphael Lasker, Boston; Rev. Dr. A. S. Bettelheim, Baltimore; Rev. Dr. B. Dracham, Newark; Rev. Abraham P. Menders, Newport, and Rev. David Levi, of Charleston, S. C.

A Large Manufactory Burned.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The works of the Vosburg manufacturing company burned last night. Loss $100,000.

Coal Mines Stop Business.

DANVILLE, Ill., April 25.—The Consolidated Coal company's mines, stores and offices at this place were closed today and all their employes discharged. Three hundred men were thrown out of employment. The only cause known is that the company had lost some contracts and had no orders which could not be filled from their other mines.

Large Blaze in Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 25.—A fire involving a loss of over $125 000 started tonight in a five-story brick store 43 Dearborn street. The building was occupied by Shienwald & Lee, stereotypers and wholesale dealers in printers' materials.

ATTACKING THE BUDGET

MR. GOSCHEN'S ESTIMATES DISCUSSED IN COMMONS.

Mr. Gladstone and Lord Randolph Churchill Show the Weak Points in the Proposed Estimates—Reduction of the Income Tax—Mr. Goschen's Reply—Other Foreign, Etc.

LONDON, April 25.—In the house of commons today, in committee on the budget, Mr. Gladstone contended that the main proposals of the budget were at variance with sound financial principles. Instead of being the humdrum budget, which Mr. Goschen promised, it was one to be remembered in the future for good or for evil. If there was anything good in it, the unionists would have the credit, and upon them would rest the responsibility for whatever was objectionable. Among the proposals of the budget was one to charge stamp duties, which would facilitate business upon local loans. He would meantime give no unfavorable opinion except to say that the concurrent creation of new stock would be a great disadvantage. Regarding the tobacco duties, it was easier to reduce the duty than to get rid of it. The manufacturer of tobacco would certainly be benefited, but the reduction would never reach the consumer. Regarding the income tax, a reduction of a penny a pound would doubtless be a peculiar boon. At the same time the proposal was against sound financial principles, because such reduction should arise from a rigid system of public economy, not at the expense of the sinking fund. The house had been asked to reduce the fund from £7,000,000 to £5,000,000. Serious reflection could not warrant the proceeding so opposed to traditions, so contrary to the interests of the British nation. It was the first time that a proposal of this nature had been made in the history of the country, and it was made when the country was becoming richer than ever before. He believed that the country was adding about £100,000,000 yearly to its savings, yet they were asked to shrink from the very moderate effort that had hitherto been made to provide a sinking fund in pursuance of a wise, broad policy that was supported by all financial authority. He hoped Mr. Goschen would not reply at once, but give the house a chance of hearing his impartial judgment upon the matter apart from political or party issues. [Cheers.]

Mr. Goschen said he would reply later if Mr. Gladstone were present.

Lord Randolph Churchill praised the "weighty remarks" of Mr. Gladstone. Speaking as a true friend of the government, he must condemn the policy of making grants in aid of local taxation. Did Mr. Goschen think that these grants were compatible with national economy? Regarding the appropriation of the sinking fund he could add nothing to what had been said by Mr. Gladstone, in whose general criticisms of the budget he fully concurred. He quoted from speeches made by Mr. Goschen in 1885, in support of Mr. Gladstone's financial policy. He declared that Mr. Goschen's budget had quashed all his hopes of public economy. A judicious budget would have reduced military expenditures without impairing the efficiency of the army. He trusted that Mr. Goschen would assent to a reconsideration of his proposals, amending them on the basis of wiser finance.

Mr. Goschen said he felt that the onslaughts made upon him by the great veteran of financial orthodoxy and the latest brilliant recruit of the financial corps required a prompt reply. First, as to local loans, he promised to consider the objections to issuing of new stock for loans. With reference to the tobacco duties, he defended the reduction of duty on the ground that the increase had not answered expectation, having checked consumption while it failed to bring anticipated revenue. He was confident that in a few years the loss arising from the current year's reduction would be recovered. Mr. Gladstone had attacked the proposals to reduce the income tax and suspend a portion of the sinking fund as against recognized principles of finance. He (Goschen) could see no force in this general charge. In taking a penny off the income tax the government would benefit the class upon whom there was such pecuniary pressure. He adhered to all his former views as to the desirability of reducing the national debt, but he contended that his present proposals to relieve the tax payers and maintain the strength of the army and navy were more real economies than those suggested by his opponents.

Mr. Cremer, a radical, asked Mr. Goschen if he knew that the reduction of duty on tobacco would throw out of employment several thousand men engaged in the tobacco trade in London.

Mr. Goschen replied that he had arranged to confer on that subject with delegates from the workmen themselves.

Sir John Lubbock, liberal unionist, and Right Honorable Hugh Childers, liberal, criticised the budget on the grounds taken by Mr. Gladstone.

After further discussion the budget resolutions were agreed to.

It is generally thought that Mr. Gladstone's attack upon Goschen's financial plans will cause the government to modify its local loan proposals and probably its proposals relative to the tobacco duties.

But it is believed that the main features of the sinking fund and income tax reductions will be maintained. Many members who have been absent from the house of commons during the past week have returned.

The government calculates that a division on a motion to go into committee on the coercion bill will be taken on Friday and result in the former majority, but ministerialists admit that in committee they must be ready to accept large amendments or their majority may break up. It is reported in the lobbies of parliament that law officers of the crown have advised the government that there is no reason why private deposition of crown witnesses in the Phœnix park murder trials and other famous Irish cases, should not be laid upon the table in the house of commons. Liberal leaders will oppose the production of this evidence on the ground that it is one-sided and has never been tested in open court. On the passage of the coercion bill Right Hon. Hugh Holmes, attorney general for Ireland, will be raised to the judicial bench of Ireland.

Arrangements are being made to hold a mass meeting in Victoria park on May 21, to protest against the crimes bill. The meeting promises to be the largest ever held in the park.

Thirteen Irish constables, who have recently resigned, will sail for America Wednesday.

BRITISH COMMERCE.

Boards of Trade Hold Very Important Meetings.

GLASGOW, April 25.—The Glasgow chamber of commerce, by a vote of eighty-eight to ninety-nine, today adopted a resolution declaring that the systems of trade, bounties and protection, adopted by other countries had so injured the English trade that there was justification for asking that Great Britain revise her fiscal relations.

MANCHESTER, April 25.—The chamber of commerce of this city today by a vote of sixty-four to thirty-three, adopted a resolution affirming unabated confidence in free trade as the best national commercial policy.

Falling Out With the Vatican.

LONDON, April 25.—A dispute has arisen between the Belgian government and the vatican, which threatens to lead to a kulterkamf in Belgium. The Beernsert cabinet wanted the vatican to instruct Catholics in Belgium to vote for the army bill which makes religious students liable to military service. The vatican flatly refused to do so.

THE SCHNEBELES AFFAIR.

Commissary Gautsch Writes Another Letter—The Pope Acting as Mediator.

PARIS, April 25.—Commissary Gautsch, in his second letter to Schnaubeles, offers excuses for his failure to meet Schnaubeles, and concludes as follows:

"The communication is so interesting that I am anxious to make it to you without informing German authorities of the fact. I beg you to come alone to the rendezvous."

Schnaubeles is a Knight of the Legion of Honor. He refused a high German office in 1870, and was immediately expelled from Germany.

BERLIN, April 25.—The tone of the comments of the press on the Schnaebeles affair and fresh rumors in relation to the arrest are causing alarm in Berlin.

The judge who issued the warrant for the arrest of Schnaebeles says that he possesses convincing proof that Schnaebeles was the principal of a party of conspirators in league with French officers who met at the Cafe Earhardt, at Strassburg. The proprietor of the cafe and two architects, named Klein and Grebert, have already been arrested.

PARIS, April 25.—LaFrance says that telegrams sent to St. Petersburg regarding the Schnaebeles affair have been stopped enroute at Berlin, by order of Prussia. It is stated that Herr Von Leyden, German charge a'affaires has informed M. Flourens, minister of foreign affairs, that Bismarck regretted that the Leipsec court had ordered the arrest of Schnaebeles without consulting the chancellor, for an offense concerning which Bismarck reserved his opinion.

Further papers relating to Schnaebeles affair have been dispatched to Berlin, including facsimiles of two letters from Commissary Gautsch, showing that Schnaebeles was induced to cross the frontier by false pretences. Bismarck was first made cognizant of the affair through the French government.

ROME, April 25.—The pope today sent confidential notes to the French and German governments offering to act as mediator in the Schnaebeles affair.

PARIS, April 25.—The production of Wagner, "Lohengrin," which was put off on account of the excitement attending the Schnaebeles incident, has again been postponed.

The Ecclesiastical Bill.

BERLIN, April 25.—In the lower house of the Prussian diet today, the new ecclesiastical bill passed its second reading in the form in which the upper house opproved it. The clause admitting certain religious orders into Prussia was approved by a vote of 230 to 117.

Anarchist Plots in Austria.

VIENNA, April 25.—Startling rumors are current here of the discovery of anarchist plots to destroy the opera house and numerous factories at Pesth. It is stated that only the extreme vigilance of the police prevented the conspirators from carrying out their designs.

Three Young Men Drowned.

QUEBEC, April 25.—Three young men, named Charles Moreau, August Rousseau and Joseph Huard, were drowned at St. Romuald yesterday by the upsetting of a boat. A fourth man saved himself by clinging to a cake of ice.

Suppressing the Illustratives.

BERLIN, April 25.—Copies of the last number of "Vie Parisienne" have been confiscated here on account of an illustrated article ridiculing the German imperial family.

AFFAIRS ABOUT AUGUSTA.

The Clinch Rifles Drill—Saluting Governor Gordon, Etc.

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The Augusta exchange and merchants will be represented before the interstate commerce commissioners tomorrow by Charles Estes, J. M Berry and Paul Mustin. The Georgia railroad will be represented by General Manager Green and Superintendent Hemphill, and the Southern Express company by Superintendent D F Jack.

The annual plume drill of the Clinch Rifles was held tonight at Market hall. The white plume was worn by A. J. Renkl, the red plume by John Saucken.

Governor Gordon arrived tonight feeling tired, but in fair spirits. He will rest tonight and be ready for tomorrow's ovation and speech. A salute of seventeen guns met him, and a public reception awaits him tomorrow. Augusta will have the grandest memorial and social celebration on record of confederate survivors.

Fifty people from Augusta went to Charleston this evening. Augusta has twelve of the Calhoun family.

The Augusta Steamboat company this afternoon accepted the new charter just received from the state authorities, and made the first call of ten per cent on the capital stock.

General Alfred E. Jackson, of Jonesboro, Tenn., arrived this afternoon, and will participate in the memorial exercises tomorrow.

NOTES FROM ANNISTON.

On a Trip to Europe—A New Engine House Under Way.

ANNISTON, Ala., April 25.—[Special.]—A contract has been let for the erection of a handsome engine house for the Glenn Addie fire company.

Mr. Ed and Miss Addie, son and daughter of Mr. Sam Noble, have secured berths in the steamer "Aurania," and will leave New York 4th of June for a trip through Europe. They will be accompanied by Bishop Quintard, of Tennessee.

The public fountain, donated to the city by Miss Carrie Tyler, has arrived and will be put in position as soon as a site can be decided on.

Hon. John M. Caldwell donated four acres of ground in Mechanicsville for the fire brick plant of Taylor & Sons.

Major Burke in Chattanooga.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 25.—[Special.]—Major E. A. Burke, of the New Orleans Times-Democrat, spent the day in the city today, visiting points of interest. Tonight he was the guest of Mr. John P. Richardson, of New Orleans, and Colonel W. T. Vaudry, who, together with a number of citizens of Chattanooga, tendered him a dinner. The evening was spent in discussing the outlook and prospects of the south. Major Burke was most favorably impressed with Chattanooga, and made a most happy impression on the leading citizens who have met him.

The Lumbermen Consult.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 25.—[Special.]—A meeting was held today at the exchange of the representative lumbermen of Alabama and Mississippi to consider their interests as affected by the interstate commerce bill. About forty were present. Richard Coe, of Stanton, was made chairman; J. B. Bivings, of Clanton, secretary. After a thorough discussion a memorial was presented and adopted praying the commission to suspend temporarily the operations of the fourth section of the bill. Richard Coe, S. T. Brittle, W. T. Smith, D. M. Rogers, B. B. McKenzie, J. B. Murphy were appointed a committee to present the memorial to the commissioners at their meeting in Mobile on the 29th instant.

The Cotton Oil Trust Case.

NEW ORLEANS, April 25.—In the case of the state vs. the Cotton Oil Trust, Attorney General Cunningham today obtained a subpœna, duces tecum, ordering that Jules Aldige, individually and as vice-president, trustee and member of the American Cotton Oil Trust do produce, in open court, on Wednesday, April 27th, the agreement, or a copy thereof, creating said Trust and also the by-laws adopted together with the minutes of their proceedings and meetings, and also the books, papers and correspondence had between him and the Cotton Oil Trust.

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THE SUPREME COURT.

DECISIONS RENDERED MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1887.

Hon. Logan E. Bleckley, Chief Justice, and Hons Samuel Hall and M. H. Blandford, Associate Justices—Reported by J. H. Lumpkin, Reporter, for the Constitution.

Van Horn vs. McNeill, adm'r. Claim, from Chattahoochee. Homestead. Debtor and Creditor. Reversions. (Before Judge Willis.) [Blandford, J., did not preside in this case on account of providential cause.]

Bleckley, C. J.—The act of 1878 (Code, §2025) touching the sale of homesteads applies to all homesteads, as well those set apart before as after its passage, and in holding off creditors before the homestead term expires, it carries out the true intent of the constitution. That the debt was created prior to the passage of the act, gives the creditor no vested right to subject a so-called reversion in the homestead property, either before or after a sale made in pursuance of the act.

Judgment reversed.

Joseph F. Pou, for plaintiff in error.

McNeill & Levy, for defendant.

Renew vs. State. Perjury, from Schley. Bastards. Justices and Justice Courts. Jurisdiction. Indictment. Criminal Law. (Before Judge Fort.)

[Blandford, J., did not preside in this case on account of providential cause.]

Bleckley, C. J.—1. No law of this state confers jurisdiction to proceed against the father of a bastard, upon a "justice court" presided over by two justices of the peace, but the jurisdiction belongs to a temporary court consisting of one justice of the peace only. Code, §4762.

2. Judgment upon an indictment for perjury will be arrested when the indictment shows on its face that the alleged court before which the false testimony was given had no jurisdiction of the subject matter on trial.

Judgment reversed.

E. A. Hawkins; C. F. Crisp; E. G. Simmons, for plaintiff in error.

DuPont Guerry, solicitor-general pro tem., for the state.

Poullain vs. Poullain et al. Equity, from Greene. Evidence. Guardian and Ward. Arbitration and Award. Attorney and Client. Practice in Superior Court. Charge of Court. Gifts. Title. Judgments. New Trial. Evidence. (Before Judge Lawson.)

Hall, J.—1. A general objection to the admission of certain books in evidence, without specifying any ground therefor, is insufficient to furnish a ground for a motion for a new trial.

(a) In this case no ground of objection to the evidence offered appears to this court.

2. Where, in a suit between certain wards and their guardian, the defendant offered in evidence an award, and it appeared therein that the defendant acted both individually and as guardian for his wards in making the submission, and that they were not represented by a guardian ad litem or next friend, if the wards had an interest in the subject matter of the arbitration, the attitude of the guardian towards them was inconsistent, and the award was not admissible in evidence against them.

(a.) Where an arbitration and award was had to settle the title to certain mill property and to permit its sale, in a subsequent suit, brought by certain wards against their guardian, claiming that a gift of a portion of the income of the property had been made to them, and seeking to recover such part of the income as went into the hands of their guardian, the award was not admissible in evidence against them.

3. If it were error to permit counsel, in his argument to the jury, to read and comment upon certain portions of the decision rendered by this court when the case was formerly before it, the failure to object thereto or to invoke any ruling of the court to check or control it, would operate as a waiver of any exception to this mode of argument.

4. The charges of the court set out in the eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth grounds of the motion for a new trial were in strict accord with the decision of this court when the case was formerly before it, and the finding of the jury under each of them was sustained by the evidence.

5. Where a bill did not set up title to certain mill property, but claimed a portion of the dividends arising therefrom, which the defendant received as the guardian of the complainants, there was no error in refusing to charge that, if the jury believed from the evidence that the defendant gave the property to his children and grandchildren, and that they were entitled to the dividends therefrom by reason of the fact that the title to said property vested in them under said gift, then said dividends were a part of the increase and not the corpus of his wards' estate, and it was not necessary for defendant to get an order of the court to allow him to expend the same for the support and education of his wards.

(a.) This charge was also properly refused because the guardian had no right to appropriate the whole of the income to the maintenance and education of his wards, especially as he had made no returns to the ordinary, showing the amount of such expenditures and the receipts therefor, and had not received the ordinary's sanction to this disposition either before or after it was made, no account of the expenditures being kept, and the amount claimed as a credit on that account being a mere guess.

(b.) Where it appeared that the owner of certain mill property had placed it in the hands of two of his sons for the purpose of managing it, receiving the income and proceeds thereof and paying them over to the donor's children and grandchildren; that such agents or trustees kept accounts of their transactions, and the money was disbursed by them to all of his children who were in life and to the children of such of his sons as were dead, except to the complainants, who were the children of a deceased son, and that the amount coming to them was paid into his hands as their guardian: this was sufficient to show a complete gift; and there was no error in charging that, if the defendant placed his two sons in charge of the mill property as the agents of his children and grandchildren, intending and directing that they should share equally in the income and dividends produced, the complainants would be entitled to recover their share of such dividends, if any, which may have been delivered to the defendant for them. Code, §§2657, 2758, 2660.

(c.) A donatio inter vivos, as distinguished from a donatio mortis causa, does not require actual delivery, and it is sufficient to complete a gift inter vivos that the conduct of the parties should show that the ownership of the chattels has been changed. 7 Exch., 583; 16 M. & W., 862; 6 L. R. (Eq.) 275; 34 Beav., 623; 18 Ves., 140, 145; 1 Kee., 551; 1 W. & T. Lea. Cas., marg. pp. 260-262.

6. When this case was before this court at a former term, on the same evidence as now appears in the record in respect to the discharge of the guardian as to one of his wards, it was held that matters short of actual fraud existed, which were sufficient to set aside the discharge; and there was no error, on another trial, in charging that such complainant claims that the discharge was procured by fraud on the part of the defendant, and is therefore an invalid judgment and no bar to her right of recovery in this case; that the fraud relied on to set aside said discharge is legal and not moral fraud; and that legal fraud does not impeach the honesty of the defendant, and may be proved by acts consistent with an intention on his part to do right.

7. Where a witness was examined on behalf of the complainants and cross-examined by the defendant's counsel on the trial, there was no error in refusing to grant a new trial on the ground that it had since been discovered that such witness would testify to sayings of the respondent repudiating the gifts in issue on the trial, made after he had parted with possession of the property; especially where no diligence was shown in procuring this testimony, its admissibility was doubtful, and at best it was merely cumulative.

Judgment affirmed.

J. A. Billups; H. G. Lewis; D. B. Sanford, for plaintiff in error.

James B. Park; John C. Reed; F. C. Foster; J. H. Lumpkin, for defendants.

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SOUTHWESTERN CIRCUIT.

No. 1. Argument concluded.

No. 14. (concluded). Bell, adm'r, vs. Windsor, adm'r. Auditor's report, from Webster. Argued. E. G. Simmons; E. A. Hawkins, for plaintiff in error. S. C. Elam; B. P. Hollis; Guerry & Son, for defendant.

No. 4. Bell, et al., vs. Mayor, etc., of Americus. Refusal of injunction, from Sumter. Edgar G. Simmons; Edgar F. Hinton, for plaintiffs in error. B. P. Hollis; E. A. Hawkins, for defendants.

At the conclusion of argument of Mr. Hawkins, the court adjourned to ten o'clock this morning.

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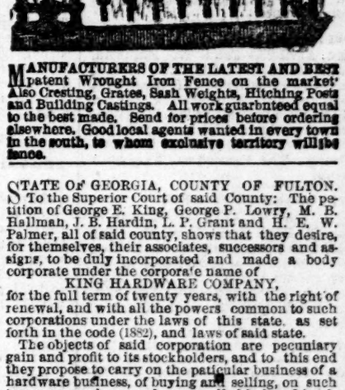

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KING HARDWARE COMPANY,

for the full term of twenty years, with the right of renewal, and with all the powers common to such corporations under the laws of this state, as set forth in the code (1882), and laws of said state.

The objects of said corporation are pecuniary gain and profit to its stockholders, and to this end they propose to carry on the particular business of a hardware business, of buying and selling, on such terms as may be agreed upon, all kinds of hardware, tinware, woodware, agricultural implements, cutlery, guns, pistols and everything usually kept and sold in the hardware business, with power to lease, rent or buy any real estate or other property for successfully and legitimately carrying on such business, and with power to make all contracts in connection with said business, to draw and sign all kinds of commercial paper, to borrow money and secure same in any way deemed best, and generally to do all acts usual and necessary, in the opinion of said corporation, to successfully conduct said business.

The capital stock of said corporation to be employed will be twenty thousand dollars (of which more than one-half has been actually paid in), with privilege of increasing same from time to time to any amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars.

The said capital stock to be divided into shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each. The principal office of said corporation and its place of doing business will be in said county of Fulton, with the right to buy and sell said articles as aforesaid elsewhere, within and without this state. Wherefore, they pray that this petition be filed and recorded and published, as required by law, and then that they may be duly incorporated as aforesaid, for the purpose and with the powers herein before set forth, and petitioners will ever pray, etc.

H. E. W. PALMER,

Attorney for Petitioners.

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Two Employes of the Chapman Sawmill Become Estranged--The Deliberate Plan of One of the Parties to Murder the Other--The Escape of the Murderer--Intense Feeling.

McRAE, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—On Monday, the 18th instant, a difficulty arose between Andrew Campbell and Thomas Busby, two white men working at J. R. Chapman & Son's saw mill two miles above here, in which Busby struck Campbell on the head with a large hand stick, prostrating him and resulting in his death yesterday. The difficulty seems to have originated several days before about some trivial matter and hard feelings and several quarrels occurred between the parties. Mr. J. R. Chapman, the proprietor of the mill, did all he could to settle the difference between them, and on the day the tragedy occurred thought that he had succeeded in restoring peace, but was afterwards told by Busby that he (Busby) intended to have revenge out of Campbell, and soon after stated to a negro that he would kill Campbell before twelve o'clock.

THE FATAL ENCOUNTER.

A short while after this, while Campbell was sitting down at his post of duty near the saw carriage, Busby slipped up behind him and struck him on the back of the head with the stick. The blow completely prostrated Campbell and he has remained in an unconscious condition until Sunday, when death occurred at 11 o'clock. Busby went forthwith and drew his pay from the mill men and skipped out, and has not been heard of since. A more cowardly and unprovoked murder we have never been called on to record from this section than the above. Campbell was a young man, unmarried, about 22 years of age; was born and raised about four miles from this place, and has a good record and many relatives and friends around McRae.

THE MURDERER.

Busby is a married man, and is from Greene county, near Greensboro, Ga. From all accounts he has the name of a very desperate man. He has only been in this county about three months. The people are greatly stirred up over the brutal affair, and will leave no stone unturned to bring the murderer to justice. The governor will be furnished with all the facts in the case and asked at once to offer a reward for Busby.

Coroner W. E. Swinney empanelled a jury of inquest, and also held a post mortem examination over the remains of Campbell, which developed the fact that the decease's skull had been badly fractured by the blow and that death had resulted therefrom. The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the above facts.

COUNTIES AT WAR.

Hancock and Washington Quarreling Over a Piece of Ground.

SANDERSVILLE, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The issue arising from the fact that an injunction of Hancock county prevents the Washington officials from collecting the taxes on lands lying in this county, near the line, grows more interesting. The Middle Georgia Progress of to night, in a telling editorial of some length, in which it also advocates an appeal to the supreme court, says:

"The crying injustice of Hancock collecting since 1874 about $150 annually of tax which properly belongs to Washington, demands immediate and prompt attention. Washington works the roads, supports the paupers, and pays the expense of prosecuting the criminals on this land, and by all that is right, reasonable and just, she should have the benefit of the tax as a partial offset."

This last phase which the issue has assumed arises from the fact that a motion in the recent sitting of the Hancock superior court to dissolve the injunction failed to prevail.

In the senate, during the session of 1880-1, the passage of an amendment was attempted which would render the construction of the existing statute relevant to it unmistakable, which was opposed by Senator (now ex-governor) McDaniel, on the ground that the statute was amply clear, and further legislation needless. With him in this the presiding officer agreed, which gentleman, Judge Boynton, was the identical one upon the bench who rendered the adverse decision for Washington.

THE CAR ACCOUNTANTS.

They Meet with a Cordial Reception in Savannah.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The members of the International Car Accountants' association, numbering seventy officials, reached Savannah this morning. They came in from Jacksonville, on the Savannah, Florida and Western railway, and were met at the depot by Mr. Geo. R. Patterson, who represented the railroad and provided them carriages. The party was under charge of Mr. J. C. Marshall, member of the association, representing the Savannah, Florida and Western railway. They were taken to the Screven house, where they were provided for by this railroad. After partaking of breakfast, carriages were provided and the party which, by the way, included twenty ladies, was driven to Thunderbolt, Bonaventure and other suburban resorts, as well as to the wharves, where they saw the ocean steamships and other vessels in port. This afternoon at 4 o'clock the party left on the Charleston and Savannah railroad on special cars, and will participate in the Calhoun festival tomorrow. After the exercises have been finished they will leave on the South Carolina railway to Augusta, thence to Atlanta on the Georgia railroad, where the convention will meet and adjourn.

RUN OVER AND KILLED.

The Result of the Possession of a Bottle of Whisky.

WAYCROSS, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—Owen Griffin and Martin Wilds, a couple of young married men living near here, received by express a jug of whisky from Savannah, and after imbibing with other friends in town they started down the Brunswick and Western railroad for home, carrying the "little brown jug" under their arm. They soon became tired and Griffin lay down by the roadside, while Wilds occupied the entire tract, using one of the rails for a pilow. They fell to sleep, and the west bound passenger train came along, and as it was then about 10 o'clock it was very dark, and the engineer, not seeing the sleeping man, ran over him, entirely severing his head from his body and dragging the body for some distance, totally demolishing it to an unrecognizable shape, scattering part of it for fifty yards along the rail. The coroner's jury exhonorates Griffin of any blame. The deceased leaves a wife and two children, as well as many friends and relatives to mourn his untimely end. Cause, whisky.

Before the Interstate Commission.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—At a meeting of the board of trade, held this afternoon, a resolution was passed authorizing the president to appoint a committee to go to Atlanta and appear before the interstate commerce commission, which meets there tomorrow.

The Jury Hung.

SAVANNAH Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The jury in the Fogarty case has not yet been released by Judge Adams. There are no signs of an early agreement. The case was concluded on Friday.

The Corner Stone Laid.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The corner stone of the Episcopal Orphan's home was laid this afternoon at 5 p. m. The Rev. Thomas Boone delivered a beautiful address.

If Success be the true test of merit, it is a settled fact that there is no equal to "BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES" for the prompt relief of Coughs, Colds, and Throat Troubles. Sold only in boxes. 25 cents.

RAN OUT OF CHURCH

And Joined Her Lover on the Outside--The Flight and Marriage.

LAGRANGE, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—Quite a sensational marriage took place in LaGrange last niget. The contracting parties were Robert J. Guinn and Miss Mattie S. Abraham, daughter of John W. Abraham, of this place. Last night just after preaching was over and as the crowd was going out of church the young lady broke loose from her mother and ran down the church steps where Mr. Guinn was waiting for her with a buggy.

THE FLIGHT.

Further down the street a carriage was standing in readiness to drive to the marriage scene. As the young lady sprang in the buggy all parties started off at a rapid speed. They knew that they were soon to be followed, as her mother had given the alarm. They hurried on out on the Antioch road.

UNITED AT LAST.

Just as they reached the front gate of Major McGee, where parties were waiting to witness the marriage, the ceremony was performed by D. J. Gaffney. And even before the ceremony was over the sound of horses' hoofs could be heard. It was known that they were the pursuers No sooner was the couple united than they started for Antioch, the parties still pursuing. Justice Gaffney and the young men who had gone to witness the marriage, stood aside and let them pass. Miss Abraham is the only child of wealthy parents, a beautiful little brunette of eighteen summers. Mr. Guinn is a splendid young man. The cause of objection is unknown.

THE DOCKETS CLEARED.

Several Cases Called Up and Disposed Of.

LEXINGTON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The superior court adjourned Saturday at noon, Judge Lumpkin clearing the docket.

Jo Drake, who assaulted his uncle, Laden Drake, was convicted of assault and battery and fined $100 and cost. This amount was promptly paid.

Clark Jones and Ned Mattox, colored, were fined $10 and cost for gambling on cards. Fines were paid. John Bankston, colored, $50 and cost for stealing cows. Evans Arnold, colored, stealing money out of G. W. Brooks's safe, sent four years to the chaingang. Frank Watkins, colored, was sent for eight years to the chaingang for stealing a horse from John C. Bowling. Rev. Gus Wilson was fined $5 and cost for stealing an ax. Gus says that he did not steal it, but that it stuck to his hands, and he could not let it go. After his fine had been placed upon him he asked the judge and all the court to "jine" him in prayer. Half a dozen divorce cases were taken up and passed.

A BURGLAR RUN DOWN.

And the Loot Found Under the Bed of a Sick Daughter.

WEST BOWERSVILLE, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—On Saturday night last the store of S. P. Bond was broken into and several pounds of meat, flour, sugar, etc., taken out. A search warrant was issued to search the house of Mr. John Vanhan, where the goods were found packed in the bed tick, on which his two daughters, who were sick were lying. Mr. Vanhan was arrested, and informed that A. J. Vaughan was also with him in the burglar, and he was also arrested. Their trial will come off today.

SENT UP FOR THIRTY DAYS.

Harrison McCay Pays the Penalty of Using Bad Language.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—In recorder's court today Harrison McCay was convicted of using obscene language on the streets and sentenced to thirty days on the gang. Harrison is a negro cub, who, like many of his compeers, has been accustomed to making the street corners hideous with his vile tongue Others ought to be made to share the same fate.

Escaped Prisoners Recaptured.

DOUGLASVILLE, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—On Thursday night J. H. Smith (white) and Arthur Reynolds (colored) bored out of the jail at this place. Sheriff Ward at once offered a reward for their arrest. The deputy sheriff of Paulding county arrested both of them on Saturday, and they are again in jail here ready to get out at the first opportunity. Smith had just arrived at an uncle's near Lost mountain when arrested and Reynolds was at work for a farmer in Paulding county.

Committed to Jail

CARTERSVILLE, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—John Henderson, the horse thief, who was arrested in Atlanta last Thursday for stealing horses from Mr. Headden and Ben Akerman had a preliminary trial before Judge Neal and committed to jail in default of $52,000 bond. From all that can be learned of Henderson he will have a number of charges of like kind to answer.

The Schools of Dalton.

DALTON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—In the notice of the schools of Dalton, there are some inaccuracies the board of trustees desire corrected. Professor Proctor's connection with the schools ceased last year, and the free school and high graded school now occupy the building formerly known as the J. E. Brown institute, and both these schools are in a flourishing and promising condition. Professor Harper, of Massachusetts, who is a thorough scholar, and has eight year's experience as teacher in normal schools, is the superintendent. Professor Jones, Mrs. Thomas, Miss Morris, Miss Kelly, Miss Field and Miss Barrett are the teachers.

Bank Officers Elected.

ATHENS, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The annual convention of the stockholders of the Bank of the University was held today. The usual reports were made. The bank was shown to be in a most flourishing condition, having paid a semi-annual dividend of five per cent. The following directors were elected: Y. L. G. Harris, S. Marks, M. Stanley, J. R. Crane, J. A. Hunnicutt, R. Nickerson and L. H. Charbonier. A resolution was introduced to increase the capital stock to two hundred thousand dollars at the meeting of the directors. Dr. John A. Hunnicutt was re-elected president and Augustus L. Hull re-elected cashier.

Increase in Assessed Values.

ATHENS, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—Athens real estate has been recently assessed. It is thought that the taxable property of the city this year will go over five million of dollars. The assessors have increased the value of real estate considerably. Nobody seems to object to the increased valuation, for the general impression is that the city real estate is worth very much more today than it was twelve months ago.

Completing the Survey.

ATHENS, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—Major Morrison left today for Lawrenceville for the purpose of surveying a route for the Georgia, Carolina and Northern from Athens to Atlanta by that town. For the last week the engineering corps have been doing office work in Athens, getting all the data collected on their recent surveys in proper shape. It is said that the locating survey will begin in two weeks.

The Foundations Laid.

CARTERSVILLE, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The foundation for the new female college was completed yesterday, and the work will make rapid progress.

Chronic Coughs and Colds,

And all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, can be cured by the use of **Scott's Emulsion**, as it contains the healing virtues of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites in their fullest form. Is a beautiful creamy Emulsion, palatable as milk, easily digested, and can be taken by the most delicate Please read: "I consider Scott's Emulsion the remedy par-excellence in Tuberculous and Strumous Affections, to say nothing of ordinary colds and throat troubles."—W. R. S. CONNELL, M. D., Manchester, Ohio.

BIBB SUPERIOR COURT.

HIS HONOR JUDGE SIMMONS SETS THE MACHINERY AGOING.

The Grand Jury Organized Some Small Cases Settled--Dropped Dead--Fooling with a Gun--A Fine Rain--Other News Notes and Personal Gossip from the Central City.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—This morning Bibb superior court convened, his honor Judge Simmons on the bench. The grand jury was sworn in; the following members answered to their names:

L. W. Hunt,	J. J. Tinsley,
E. P. Strong.	H. G. Cutter,
W. H. Virgin,	S. R. Jaques,
J. L. Cook,	M. H. Cutter,
George W. Morgan,	R. M. Rogers,
S. A. C. Everett,	George T. Wing,
O. N. Doud.	George C. Price,
Alex Reynolds, Jr.,	W. P. Baldwin,
W. F. Anderson,	C. E. Campbell,
T. Skelton Jones,	C. B Willingham,

T. S. Lowery.

L. W. Hunt was chosen foreman, and the jury retired to its room and began the investigation of the unwritten history of the fakes and sinners.

The first case called in the court room was that of Sam Reed vs. Mary Reed, upon the united shoulders of whom the matrimonial yoke set unpleasantly. The court was kind enough to loose one end of the harness, and the first verdict was rendered.

The second case was of a similar nature, Mary E. Howard's tender neck having been galled by the self same bonds until she asked the courts to dissolve the life partnership between herself and W. A. Howard. The court untied the last knot, by a second verdict, and these twain became two again instead of one as aforetime.

The third case referred to still another discontented pair, and Duffy and Duffy received the legal absolution that they loved, and the heavy fetters fell on the floor with a joyous clank as this pair departed in separate paths of life by the manifesto of a second verdict.

The next case was Mary O. Wood vs. the mayor and council of Macon, and was a suit for damages. The plaintiff was represented by Lanier & Anderson, and City Attorney Patterson opposed for the defence. The case is still undecided.

FOOLING WITH A GUN,

The Old Man Creates a Panic Among the Brokers.

MACON, Ga, April 25.—[Special.]—This morning an old time darky who looked like he had just heard of the emancipation proclamation, came tottering along the lower end of Cherry street, with a revolutionary, worm-eaten old musket on his stooping shoulders. The nervous fingers of the ancient darky kept fumbling at the triggers, as he stopped on the corner to indulge in a Rip Van Winklish sort of a reminiscence. A large, yellow cat, the pet of the board of trade, sat dozing on the curb stone, watching some English sparrows who were constructing a nest in the intricate pattern of the ornamental work on the front of Plant's offices. A little knot of boom starters were discussing the latest deal on the corner. Suddenly there was a frightful crash, and the solid walls trembled as from an earthquake shock, the yellow cat flew for his life, with his tail spread out like a Japanese paraso', the English sparrows dropped into the water pipe, and amid the smoke and falling debris were seen three boom starters dancing the cancan and yelling "police!" between their muttered prayers and imprecations.

When the patrolman arrived on the scene he found the old darky peeping into the gun with a quizzical expression on his face.

"Did you shoot that gun?" asked the officer.

"No, sah, but dat darned old muskit come mighty nigh er shootin' me. Humph! You fool wid er gun an' hit's er gwine ter go off, sho's you bo'ned."

SAD DEATHS.

A Policeman's Wife and the Nephew of Another.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—Last night the wife of Patrolman Tom Brown died from the effects of measles. Mrs. Brown was the second wife, and leaves no children. Mr. Brown himself, and one of the two children of his first marriage are seriously ill with the same complaint. Mrs. Brown will be buried in the country, near her old home tomorrow.

Yesterday, at Jones chapel, occurred the funeral of Steve Grace, a nephew of Patrolman Frank Merely. Steve was a promising youth of twelve, and he, too, died of measles.

This malady seems to be fully as malignant as it was last year.

DROPPED DEAD.

Old Jack Harris—The Aged Janitor—Sudden Death.

MACON, Ga, April 25.—[Special.]—This morning old Jack Harris, long time janitor for Burr's establishment, walked up Cherry street until he arrived at Chambliss Brothers' store, when he suddenly became speechless, staggered into the door, fell to the floor and expired in five minutes. Dr. Wright was called in and pronounced the trouble heart disease.

Old Jack has been here always. He was well known long "'fore de war died an' peace broke out," and was thought well of by his friends, white and colored. His body was removed to his home, and no inquest was held, as none was necessary.

A GOOD RAIN,

Followed by a Sunshiny Day in Macon---Gardens Benefitted.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—This morning dawned dark and dreary, and the steady patter of the rain drops on the roof and window panes tempted the indolent to turn over and try another nap. The shower continued without abating until about eight o'clock, when it slowed up, and the clouds soon passed away, leaving a sunny day.

Gardens and fields are much benefitted by the rain, which was general in the city and surrounding country.

THE LABORATORY.

The Brick from the Wings Used in the Orphan's Home.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The parties who purchased the laboratory property have taken away the two wings of the building, and the brick therefrom will be used in constructing the walls of the Methodist orphans' home, which is located near by. Thus the same bricks that were used in the construction of the building which was designed to foster the orphan-maker have fallen a legacy to the orphans. This is pretty near the eternal fitness of things.

DOTS AND DASHES.

Some Spicy Specials Served in Short Sentences.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—Quite a number of people were prospecting in East Macon real estate yesterday.

Professor Glenn will probably read the grand address of Sidney Lanier during the memorial exercises tomorrow. This address was delivered by the lamented Lanier, on a similar occasion in 1870, and will awaken many memories of the dead poet in the hearts of those who knew and loved him so well.

Business on the street car lines is rapidly picking up. Large crowds attended the evangelist meetings in South Macon, and the cars are loaded going and coming.

Some villainous sneak thief entered the back porch of Mrs. R. L. Henry, yesterday evening, and opening the cage, stole a canary bird. It is wonderful that he left the cage or the porch either.

The evangelists have made arrangements to erect a tent on the vacant lot formerly occupied by the English warehouse, on Poplar and First streets, and will hold services there They will also place a tent on the green in East Macon and conduct revivals over there.

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THE HORSE WHIPPING CASE.

Stella Horton Released While Mr. Jones Was Trying to Secure Her.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—A telegram has been received here notifying the authorities that Stella Horton, who was arrested in Nashville, Tenn., last Friday, had been released. When Mr. Wiley Jones, whose daughter, Miss Lillie, was assaulted by Stella with a horsewhip, on the 15th instant, learned of the occurrence, on Friday last, he telegraphed to several cities and had her arrested in Nashville. On Friday he went to Solicitor Hardeman and took out what he supposed were the proper papers to secure a requisition for the woman. He then employed Colonel Lanier, who gave him a letter to Attorney General Anderson, asking the latter to aid him in the matter. Judge Harris, of the city court, examined the papers and added his indorsement.

Mr. Jones left for Atlanta on the first train Saturday morning, and arriving there he hurried to the governor's office and laid the matter before him. Attorney General Anderson was called, and he and Governor Gordon informed Mr. Jones that his papers were no good; that the warrants must be filed in the office of the clerk of the city court and certified copies forwarded to the governor before anything could be done. Mr. Jones was advised to return to Macon at once and have the matter properly arranged and then apply at the executive office for his requisition. He telegraphed Colonel Lanier to meet him at the train, and boarding the train returned to Macon, where he arrived at 5:40 p. m. Mr. James Anderson met him and inquired as to what was lacking, which Mr. Jones briefly explained.

Taking his carriage, he sought the city clerk, who he was informed was out of the city. He then found Lieutenant Wood and Chief Wiley, and went in search of the mayor, whom he failed to find. He visited Superior Court Clerk Adams, who said he had no jurisdiction. Then he sought Judge Simmons, who was not well and could not look into the matter. Solicitor Hardeman was consulted, and he stated that he was not aware of the change in the law.

Finally, worn out with trying to get the matter arranged, he went home, deciding to wait until today, and resume operations. Meanwhile, notice was given of the release of the prisoner. It looks like a train of peculiar impediments delayed the outraged father in his attempts to secure justice and he deserves the sympathies of the community in his disappointment.

SPRINKLING THE STREETS.

The City Council of Macon at Work on the Question.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—At the council meeting tonight there was a full board present, with Mayor Price in the chair.

Propositions for sprinkling the streets were declared in order. Z. B. Wade proposed to sprinkle the principal streets at a cost of $225 per month, from May to November, the city contractor reserving the privilege of increasing his compensation by private subscription. Messrs. Dave Hill and J. L. Harris proposed to sprinkle the streets if the city furnish the water, depending on private subscription for compensation. The committee reported in favor of purchasing four double team sprinkling carts and water the streets at the expense of the city, provided the water company furnish water at ten cents per thousand gallons. Mayor Price favored the consideration of the proposition of Hill & Harris. A later report was handed in by Dr. Ingalls, from Mr. Wade, offering to give a bond for the faithful performance of the work and to sprinkle the streets at his entire expense, furnishing everything for $325 per month. A motion was then made to refer the matter to the water supply committee, and allow it to contract for the sprinkling of the streets within the fire limits, and the mayor be added to the committee, with power to sign such contracts. This motion prevailed.

The returns were then handed in for the market house election. They were received and ordered spread upon the minutes. Alderman Proudfit then moved that the commission appointed by the council to put into effect the provisions of the bill be instructed to assume their duties. Carried.

APPRECIATIVE HILLSBORO.

Sends Compliments to the Constitution and Its Representative.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The following communication has been received at this office:

HILLSBORO, Ga., April 23, 1887.—M. M. Folsom, Macon, Ga: Our Kind Friend—We have just seen THE DAILY CONSTITUTION of April 22d. We beg to say to you that words are inadequate to express our kind feelings toward you and your paper for the noble mention of our little village, in the issue above mentioned. We all say, big, little, old and young, come and see us again. Our hearts and our doors will be always open to receive you. May God bless you, for you make us happy. We have sent a copy of the paper to one old gentleman, B. R. Ezell, you mentioned. Very truly your friend,

JAMES F. MURPHY, and others.

SICK FOLKS.

Some Improving Slowly and Some Others No Better.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—Clerk of Superior court, Dan Adams, is up again and hard at work, after a painful illness.

P. M. Christian, the Cherry street druggist, is confined to his home by illness.

Dr. T. A. Cheatham is still confined to his home with an attack of bronchitis. He was out a little while today.

Parkkeeper Harvey Fennell is improving slowly. He was able to sit up Saturday, but took a relapse and is confined to his bed again.

A LEAKY ROOF

Causes a Stampede at the East Macon Public School.

MACON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—This morning when Miss Rosa Goldsmith and Miss Annie Wood reached the East Macon public school building, they found everything in a bad condition. The roof had sprung a leak, and the stove was full of water and the floor pretty badly saturated. School was adjourned, the authorities notified, and the tow heads scampered off to enjoy the jubilee.

Married on Short Acquaintance.

ALBANY, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—That great match maker, the love and matrimony column of a literary paper, again shows its hand in the union of two hearts, hitherto total strangers, but now that beat as one. It was a romantic episode that transpired in this city last night, in which Dr. W. T. Bynum, of Live Oak, Florida, and Miss T. P. Anderson, of Wilkes county, Ga., were the important actors. They began correspondence some time since in a newspaper. According to appointment they met here during the session of the Baptist convention, and last night had their nuptials solemnized, Rev. J. H. Fortson officiating. They had never met each other until their arrival in Albany.

DEATHS IN GEORGIA.

Dr. J. H. Reinhart, residing near Hoschton, in Jefferson county, died Sunday morning at 8 o'clock of heart disease. He was as well as usual a few minutes before he died, and had only time to speak to his wife before he was gone.

Mr. Thompson Graham, an old, wealthy and respected citizen of Thomaston, died Monday.

Man Wants a Tonic

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THE BAPTISTS.

THE CLOSE OF THE SIXTY-FIFTH CONVENTION.

What the Preachers Did on Sunday--Dr. Tucker Delivers a Notable Sermon--The Business of the Concluding Session--Dr. Hawthorne Arrives in the City and Takes Part.

ALBANY, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The sixty-sixth annual session of the Georgia Baptist convention is now numbered among the things that were. The concluding business of the session was deferred until today, when an adjournment was had. Every church, white and colored, in Albany was filled by the visiting ministers yesterday morning and evening. Some able sermons were delivered to appreciative audiences. Dr. H. H. Tucker, of Atlanta, delivered a powerful and elaborate sermon at the Baptist church in the morning to a house crowded to its full capacity. His text, so admirably handled, was Isaiah ix; 6. Dr. W. L. Kilpatrick followed in the same pulpit last night. It rained most of the day, which prevented many from attending service. The rain continued during the night and this morning was one of lowering clouds and fitful showers, which made the last few day's session slimly attended. Many of visiting ministers and laymen had departed for their respective homes the day before, but the remaining few gathered together at an early hour for the transaction of the rest of the business on hand.

Moderator Mell called the convention to order at half past eight o'clock, and after song and prayer, the minutes of the preceding session were read and confirmed. The first part of the morning was devoted to reports of the various committees, all of which elicited more or less discussion from the members present. The committee on temperance first rendered a report, followed by that on literature. The report of the committee on nominations recommended the appointment of Rev. John J. Brantley, of Mercer university, to deliver the next annual convention sermon, with Rev. A. W. Montgomery, of Thomaston, as alternate.

The committee on representation to the southern Baptist convention recommended the appointment of certain delegates, about 130 in number.

Reports of the special committees on colored ministers and on the report of the board of trustees of Mercer university were also read.

At this juncture the following resolution was passed, introduced by Rev. G. A. Blount:

Whereas, the trustees and friends of Mercer university expect to celebrate the semi-centennial anniversary of that institution.

Resolved, That this convention approve the holding of a mass meeting at some time during the year, and suggest that the board of trustees take the matter into consideration and adopt such action as they may deem best.

The committee on finance reported, which report was adopted. When the report of the committee on deceased ministers was read, Rev. A. B. Campbell, Rev. E. E Folk and John S. Davis paid touching tributes to the late Rev. W. B. Dix, once the beloved pastor of the Albany Baptist church. S. A. Burney also eulogized the Christian character and noble qualities of the lamented David E. Butler.

The election of the executive committee for the ensuing year was reported as follows: E. W. Warren, R. F. Lawton, V. Powers, S. P. Sanford, E. B. Huguenin, J. E. Woolet, C. B. Willingham. S. A. Burney was unanimously re-elected treasurer. Resolutions of thanks to the citizens, railroads and newspapers for courtesies were passed.

The hour of noon having arrived, and no further business, Moderator Mell declared the convention adjourned sine die.

CONVENTION NOTES.

A large number of delegates left on yesterday's trains.

Rev. F. C. McConnell went to Quitman yesterday, where he preached an able sermon in Rev. C. A. Turner's church.

Rev. J. G. Gibson, of Crawford, by special request, preached in Leesburg Baptist church yesterday a sermon that made a profound impression.

Dr. J. B. Hawthorne, of Atlanta, arrived last night, and attended and took active part in the last day's proceedings of the convention. He is to preach in the Baptist church tonight and will deliver a memorial address in this city tomorrow.

THE NEWS FROM COLUMBUS.

Sending a Committee to Atlanta--Death of Miss Donie Barden--The Salvation Army.

COLUMBUS, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—Captain O. E. Hochstrasser, president of the Columbus board of trade, and Captain T. E. Blanchard and Hon. W. A. Little will leave for Atlanta tomorrow morning to lay before the interstate commerce committee the claims of Columbus as a water way competitive point. Columbus is at the head of navigation on the Chattahoochee river, and will claim the same rates as are given to Montgomery and Selma.

Miss Donie Barden died at her home in this city today. She belonged to one of the oldest and most highly respected families in Columbus.

The Salvation Army is drawing large crowds here and has captured about twenty-five recruits.

Memorial Day will be appropriately observed here tomorrow. The oration will be delivered by L. Price Gilbert.

Mr. C. J. Birdsong has accepted a position on the Georgia Midland railroad as conductor, and makes his first trip tomorrow morning.

Willie, the little daughter of Mr. Elbert Howard, of this city, died today.

The Holiness People.

CARTERSVILLE, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—The Georgia holiness convention will meet in this place May 9th, and continue in session about one week. Our people are making preparations to receive those who attend.

MARRIED ON THE ROAD.

A Young Couple Making a Hard Pull for Happiness.

JEFFERSON, Ga., April 25.—[Special.]—Mr. Wilkerson, a young farmer, has for a long time been paying attention to a young lady whose parents did not look with favor upon the match. Yesterday the couple decided to elope, and began their elopement, the objective point being to find a preacher. As they were nearing Athens they met the Rev. Mr. Bailey in the road. Making known their mission, the preacher married the couple then and there. The young couple went on their way rejoicing.

If sick headache is misery, what are Carter's Little Liver Pills if they will positively cure it? People who have used them speak frankly of their worth. They are small, and easy to take.

Card from W. A. Pledger.

EDITORS CONSTITUTION: I notice that many of your correspondents have a kind of mania for misrepresenting the Atlanta university and other schools of learning for colored people.

There is an impression, unfortunately for the good of the interests of the races at the south, that the education and culture of the "Afro-American" race end in crime, but let that education—that culture—be placed in the proper direction and it will redound to the benefit of both races and make all rejoice that we have institutions of learning manned by such excellent educators as we have in our colored institutions. I notice in your paper of last Friday that Porter Wimby, "a graduate of the Atlanta university," was arrested for breaking open a car at Greeneville, S. C.

The fact is, Porter Wimby was never matriculated in the Atlanta university. Never was any graduate of that institution arrested or charged with any crime that took with it any of the elements of moral turpetude.

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HENRY C. DUNLAP,
Administrator.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Contract to be Let for Building by First National Bank of Sheffield, Alabama.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO May 3, 1887, for the erection of a Bank Building. Plans and specifications can be seen at the architect's office of L. B. Wheeler, Atlanta, Ga., or at First National Bank, Sheffield, Ala.

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FAIR — *INDICATIONS for Atlanta, taken at 1 o'clock a. m: Fair; warm. South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama and Tennessee: Fair weather; stationary temperature; northerly winds.* — WARM

THE three socialistic associations of the United States have united. In this sort of union there is no strength.

THE Calhoun monument will be unveiled in Charleston today. Secretary Lamar will deliver the oration, and a great crowd will be present.

CARTER HARRISON speaks of the Chicago newspaper men as "Arcadian dudes who write for a penny a line." Carter Harrison is an Arcadian ass who shoots off his mouth for nothing.

IN Pennsylvania they have adopted salaries instead of per diem for members of the legislature, and it is found to work well. The lawmakers are said to work better under the new plan.

CAPTAIN C. E. DUTTON, in a communication to the National Academy of Sciences, makes a calculation that the centrum of the Charleston earthquake was at least twelve miles below the surface of the earth.

JOHN SWINTON declares that the shortening of the hours of labor is doing more to promote temperance than all the prohibition legislation put together, and there is a great deal more truth than poetry in the statement.

MISS MARY GARRETT, sister of President Robert Garrett, of the Baltimore and Ohio, has offered to give $35,000 to Johns Hopkins university, on condition that the institution shall be removed to Clifton, the county seat of its founder.

THE republican New York senate threatens to decorate Lieutenant Governor Jones with its censure. If there is anything that can arouse the wrath of a New York republican it is the spectacle of an honest man bravely doing his duty.

THE New York Sun has for a long time posed as the critic of the English of its contemporaries. What does it think of its bantling, the Evening Sun, when it begins to speak of "these days of megalocephalous and megalophanous men."

JUSTICE W. B. WOODS, of the United States supreme court, thought that his health had been much improved by his stay in California, but on his way back to Washington he was taken sick in Kansas City, where he is still confined to his bed.

THE Courier-Journal asserts that President Cleveland has always distrusted the party that elected him. This is not an accurate statement. President Cleveland trusts the party, but there are many politicians in it whom he ought not to trust and he knows who they are.

THE platform adopted by the last Woman's Suffrage convention was prepared by Mrs. Lillie Devereux Blake. The most remarkable, certainly the most heartless, plank in it is one which declares that this dear party will "hold friendly relations" with all the male organizations "and entangling alliances with none."

ERASTUS WIMAN, president of the Canadian club at New York, does not despair of seeing the United States and Canada amicably enjoying the fruits of a commercial reciprocity treaty. In answer to a letter from him as to England's possible position in such an event, Professor Goldwin Smith says that the home government practically concedes final independence to the colonies, even where a tariff is imposed upon English goods.

BEN: PERLEY POORE says that Daniel Webster has been misjudged and that the stories of his hard drinking are gross exaggerations. He says:

"Webster had grown up at a time when almost every man took his daily glass of toddy, when decanters of brandy were on the tables of the hotels without extra charge to those who partook of their contents and when wines and liquors were genuine and not manufactured by patent processes from poisonous ingredients. Towards the close of his life, when stricken by domestic sorrow, deserted by some whose political fortunes he had helped to make, Mr. Webster may at times have sought to drown care, but he was not habitually intemperate and what he did drink was taken without disguise or hypocritical concealment. He never gambled, although at that time gambling was another and fashionable vice here. Occasionally he would play a game of whist with friends, but he played very badly, and he enjoyed an occasional bout at "seven up," or, as he used to call it, "high, low, jack and the game." His favorite spring recreation was fishing at the falls of the Potomac above Georgetown, and Isaak Walton never had a more enthusiastic disciple on this continent.

ARTHUR WELLESLEY PEEL, speaker of the British house of commons, is the youngest son of the great Peel. He looks like a yankee preacher. He is 58 years of age. He is above medium height, of ordinary straight, thin build. He walks with his head thrown a little back; the long, prim-set features, solemn, if not grewsome, the full beard sprinkled with gray, the smooth-shaven upper lip severely official, the large, weak blue eyes self-conscious, his whole air one of ostentatious significance, which, before any night's sitting is over, is changed into weariness close upon despair. In the young days of this ancient realm a king's chancellor described a model speaker as "like the elephant, who has no gall, is of unflexible purpose and of great memory." When Mr. Gladstone selected Arthur Wellesley Peel for speaker, he may have dimly perceived in him at least a general intellectual resemblance to the king of the jungle.

Suggested by the Day.

Everywhere throughout the south this great day will be observed with the solemnity suited to its sad but glorious memories.

A day thus set apart by common consent, and enshrined in the hearts of a brave people, should not be rudely disturbed by fickle fancies or varying moods. In another column an esteemed correspondent enters his protest against the proposed substitution of the federal decoration day for our memorial day. The points made by him will be overwhelmingly indorsed. They are unanswerable.

Apart from the fact that the confederate memorial day has a peculiar significance of its own, its origin is something worthy of being remembered with patriotic pride. We owe the day to a noble southern woman's devotion to the lost cause and its heroic dead. Mrs. Mary Ann Williams, the wife of General Charles J. Williams, of Columbus, selected the 26th of April, and her labor of love was finally rewarded by the general adoption and observance of the day all over the south. For two decades we have paid our tribute of tears and sunshine and April flowers on this day, and the suggestion of a change comes with little to recommend it.

The southern people have given too many proofs of their devotion to a reunited country to make it necessary for them to change a single custom, or give up one tradition, or take one step aside from their chosen line of march. There can be no ignoble prejudice, no bitter memory, no disloyal suggestion in the fact that we regard our memorial day as a day by itself, and decoration day as quite another thing.

Mr. Cleveland's Second Term.

According to the Washington newsdispatches, the president denies that he has announced his intention not to be a candidate for a second term. We are very glad that the denial has been made, for the statement attributed to Mr. Cleveland is neither characteristic nor probable. Nevertheless, we believe the statement could be made with perfect truth, for, as we have said heretofore, the president is not a candidate for renomination. He is simply doing his duty not only by the democratic party, but by the people of the whole country, and is allowing events to take care of themselves.

We learn that Senator Vest, of Missouri, considers himself responsible for the statement that has recently been so widely telegraphed over the country, but he denies with some bitterness that any word he may have uttered could be construed as the newspaper correspondents have construed it. According to Senator Vest, all that he did was to deny that the president was working for a renomination. This charge was made in a group of which Mr. Vest was a member, and he took occasion to deny it with some vehemence; and from this denial has grown the statement recently telegraphed to St. Louis and thence to all the newspapers.

This whole business, if we may be permitted to say so, is much ado about nothing. Senator Vest told the simple truth—a truth that must be plain to every observer of events—when he declared that the president was not working for a renomination. The controversy that gave rise to his declaration grew out of a charge that the president had been appointing negroes to office for the purpose of dividing the negro vote. Our own opinion is that Mr. Cleveland has appointed negroes to office, not because he is trying to secure the negro vote—which would amount to nothing, but because he believes that the republican policy of ignoring the blacks should be changed. He is doing what he conceives to be best, and he has taken occasion to run counter to what has been interpreted as public opinion.

But, in the main, he has been building wisely. Public opinion, both at the south and the north, wants justice done to the negro race. Public opinion demands an honest and an efficient administration of affairs. Technically, civil service reform is a fraud, but the people want genuine civil service reform, and this the president has tried to give us.

He is honest, he is conscientious, he is superior to the politicians; he is superior even to the clamor of the newspapers. We have never had a more popular president. We have never had a president whose conduct was more strongly indorsed by the common sense of the country. Mr. Cleveland may not desire to be president for a second term, but he cannot escape his destiny. It is his destiny to serve his country, and he will not refuse to be a candidate when he is nominated by acclamation.

A Good Example.

Last Friday Pennsylvania set a good example to the other states of the union.

It was Pennsylvania's "Arbor Day," and the manner of its observance was highly creditable to the patriotism and good sense of the people of that state. They turned out in every city, town, and settlement to plant trees. They had prepared for the event with commendable forethought. Good specimens of trees, suited to the soil and climate of the various localities, had been procured and the ground fitly prepared for their reception. In many places the day was a sort of jubilee. While the people were doing a great deal of work they were having a good, jolly time of it. School children were enlisted in the tree-planting army and performed the service with great enthusiasm. "Arbor Day" was a great success in Pennsylvania. A pleasant holiday was so spent as to enrich the centres of population with several hundred thousand new trees.

The importance of this work is becoming apparent to the people in every part of the country. Soon every state will have its "Arbor Day," and the people will quickly realize the value of such an institution.

The formation of the Southern Forestry congress has organized this movement in the south, and when the appointed "Arbor Day" for these states comes next fall there will be few localities where especial interest is not displayed in the work of tree planting.

Everybody in Atlanta has noticed how beautiful the city is this spring. There have been many handsome buildings erected during the past winter, but what makes Atlanta so attractive just now is the beauty of the young trees which have grown rapidly within the past few years until they now grace and shade nearly all our streets. But Atlanta has not trees enough, by half. We want more of them in the parks and more along the thoroughfares and avenues. A few years ago Washington was comparatively bare of shade. Its streets, as they were opened and extended, were set out in choice trees and now the city is a leafy paradise. Its magnificent public buildings, its private palaces, and its perfect pavements are not so much admired as its luxuriant groves, its blooming parks, and its deep shaded avenues. It is estimated that there are now over three hundred thousand trees in Washington, most of them unusually large for a city. The healthfulness of a city is involved as directly as its beauty in the tree problem. There is no easier or cheaper way to keep the air of a city fresh and sweet; there is no better way to make a city beautiful and pleasant than to fill it with trees. Let Atlanta plant thousands of them next fall.

A Grim Traveler.

Yesterday's issue of THE CONSTITUTION contained a brief dispatch from Nogales, Arizona, which was more significant and startling than the sum total of all the other news items in the paper.

In the space of four or five lines this Nogales telegram stated that cholera was raging at Mazatlan and Guaymas, Mexico, and that the people were running from the scourge.

For about a year the Asiatic cholera has been devastating South America. It has been steadily advancing northward, but the natural supposition was that it would strike Central America before it made its appearance in Mexico. It is possible that the pestilence has followed this line without skipping, and that the Central American authorities have suppressed the fact. This, however, is a matter of small importance. The point that interests us is the appearance of the plague at our back door, as it were.

It would be folly to hold out the hope that this unwelcome visitor will stop where it is, or double on its track or whisk off into the Pacific. It will continue to march northward, and if unopposed it will ravage the United States, as it has done more than once.

And yet, in a reasonable way, there is a strong probability that we may be spared the worst. We are better prepared to guard our frontier than ever before. Our sanitary authorities are better organized, and the ways and means of stamping out disease and preventing its spread are superior to the methods resorted to in the past.

We have every incentive to be vigilant and prompt. In the present generation, a light touch of the cholera almost wiped out some of the growing towns in the southwest, and it was a dozen years before they recovered. We must not risk such a rough experience again. We must keep the Asiatic terror on the other side of the border if cleanliness, quarantine and even martial law all have to be called to our aid. A great deal can be done when we feel that it must be done.

Our Mexican Trade.

The large and growing trade of Mexico ought to be controlled by the United States. Commercial intercourse between the two countries has been hitherto hindered by a Mexican tariff which practically excluded those articles which the United States could best have supplied. There was no benefit to Mexico from this tariff. It did not protect any considerable home industries, and it was laid principally upon articles which are not now produced in Mexico. As no effort was made to supply the home market with home manufactures, these taxes bore very heavily on the Mexican consumer.

A new Mexican tariff schedule has been arranged to go into effect on the first of July. In the opinion of those who are most familiar with the condition and needs of Mexico, the new tariff will give a decided impetus to our trade with that country.

The Mexican reciprocity treaty now pending has for its object the establishment of closer and more extensive commercial relations between the United States and Mexico. It has been ratified by the senate, but the house has never passed the legislation necessary to its enforcement. There will not be so great a demand for this treaty now that Mexico has so revised her tariff as to accomplish, at least in part, the ends aimed at in the treaty. Many of the principal articles which our merchants and manufacturers would have exported to Mexico if the treaty had been ratified, will be found on the Mexican free list after the first of July. So far as it goes, the new Mexican tariff is better for us than a reciprocity treaty would be. It grants us some very valuable privileges and exacts in return no concessions on our part.

WE take pleasure in calling the attention of Editor Dana to the fact that the south is practically solid for Cleveland.

THE New York Sun says that the democratic party would have been in a much better condition if Blaine had been elected. The democratic party is pretty well, thank you; but what would be the condition of honest government if Brother Blaine were in the white house?

THE time has arrived when the New York Sun should trot Candidate Benjamin B. to the front.

THE April number of the Southern Farm, a periodical formerly known as the Georgia Stock and Agricultural Journal, is a splendid issue. Under the direction of Messrs. Henry W. Grady and John R. Wilkinson, and the editorship of Dr. Wm. L. Jones, the Southern Farm bids fair to leap at once to the lead of the procession. With the new management the publication is greatly enlarged, and its readers will revel in the luxuries of thick, toned paper and firstclass typography. The farmer will find every department that he wants, and not one that he does not want, a great thing in these days of superfluous padding. The Southern Farm is eminently a practical journal. It is conducted by men who have made a study of the wants of our farmers in this line, and they will fill the bill if time, money and judicious work will do it. The price of the publication, one dollar a year, places it within the reach of all.

THE jobbers and corruptionists will find it a very difficult matter to destroy Sam Randall. He will continue to stand between the whole gang and the public treasury.

THE Washington Post thinks that Mr. Randall has "got to go." This is true, he has "got to go" to congress, where he will give the jobbers the same old democratic razzle-dazzle that he has given them for years.

FOR a small man Adam Badeau appears to be very full of information.

PERSONS AND THINGS.

QUEEN VICTORIA, on her visit to Birmingham, asked the mayor to send her photographs of himself and his wife. Likewise, on her visit to Olympia, she asked the manager to send her photographs of the principal animals exhibited there.

SENATOR GIBSON spoke at the services held at New Orleans in memory of Paul Tulane, and related this of his first visit to him: "When I went into his library he said, 'I made my fortune in Louisiana and have always loved the people of Louisiana. Do you know my property there? There are thirty pieces.' He told me what he desired done with them. I said, 'You will outlive me. He said, 'I would just as lief give it now.' I drew a plan and submitted it to him, and he accepted it. On this we have drafted the suggestions and plans of the beneficence of Paul Tulane."

FATHER GRIGON, vicar-general of the diocese of Natchez, died last week.

THE anarchists of Chicago claim that before election Mayor Roche promised in writing to remove Police Inspector Bonfield, who won the hatred of the cut-throat party by his brave conduct at the Haymarket. Mayor Roche utterly denies this; no doubt truly.

ALL Kentucky is getting stirred up over the governorship contest. "I hear," a "Courier-Journal" writer says, "that Captain Jim Blackburn has pulled off his coat and gone into the fight for General Buckner, on the ground that Senator Harris's candidacy is leveled directly against his brother Joe, the senator. I am told that Senator Beck, who is charged with favoring General Buckner, is remaining in Washington to keep from getting mixed up in the fight. Governor McCreary is going about in a quiet way, doing what he can for his county man, Senator Harris.

FWING to ill health the empress of Austria this year was obliged to forego the customary washing of the feet of twelve old women on Maundy Thursday at the Hofburg. She made them rich gifts instead.

CANON WILBERFORCE has arrived on a visit to the United States. This eminent English clergyman is conspicuous for his active interest in temperance and other vital questions of the day. Recently he was taken to task by his bishop for preaching in a Dissenter's chapel, and the two waged a vigorous controversy over the matter. Technically, of course, Canon Wilberforce was in the wrong. But the court of public opinion decided the case strongly in his favor after hearing his masterly arguments in favor of Christian unity and the breaking down of sectarian barriers.

THE CHESTNUT OF THE TUILERIES.

A Famous Tree Which Hung Out Its Colors When Its King Came Home.

From the Boston Post.

There is a curious story about a chestnut tree in the garden of the Tuileries. It is known as the "Chestnut of 20th of March," and the peculiarity about it is that it always puts out its foliage before any other tree in the garden. This year, however, it has violated its traditions; its leaves did no appear until after many of its neighbors had begun to show their foliage, and it is this fact which recalls the following story: One day when Louis XVIII was talking with one of his courtiers, Count Limoleon, about the weather, the latter imprudently alluded to the famous chestnut tree. "What is the chestnut tree on the 20th of March?" inquired the king. "I hear some one speak of it every year." The count saw that he had made a bad mistake, but tried to repair it. "Sire" he replied "every one avoids speaking to your majesty of this chestnut tree, because it is a souvenir of one the most unhappy episodes of your reign." "What is that?" asked the king. "The 20th of March is the date on which the usurper Bonaparte, after his escape from the Isles of Elba, arrived in Paris and took up his residence in the palace of the Tuileries." "Well, I know that," replied the king; "but what has it to do with the chestnut tree?" "The followers of Bonaparte observed that on that day there was one tree in the garden which was covered with leaves, while the others had none at all, and the mob from Paris came to see the tree which it was said put forth its leaves in honor of the usurper." "Well," said the king, "this merely proves that trees are like men in some respects; they do not all have the same opinions. And did you say that since my second restoration this particular tree had continued to have leaves on the 20th of March?" "Yes, sire, it is true." The reply seemed to annoy the king, and, although he said nothing about it, the courtiers decided it would be best to cut down the Bonapartist tree and substitute one that was more proper and loyal in its habits. But what happens? The year passed, and as the king did not say anything more about the tree it was believed by the courtiers that he had forgotten all about it. They were very much astonished, therefore, when on the 20th of March, 1814, the king, who never went to the garden of the Tuileries, expressed a wish to see the famous chestnut tree. Their amazement was extreme, however, when they arrived at the garden and found the tree in full bloom, with even more leaves and flowers than before. Their mortification may be imagined. The king, however, reassured them by remarking, after he had taken a good look at the tree:

"Well, let it remain and represent the Bonapartist opinions if it will. So long as this is the only thing which conspires against us the Bourbons have little to fear."

The tree is still in the garden of the Tuileries, but it is not the one which bloomed on the 20th of March, 1815, when the emperor returned to Paris.

Ground Down.

From the Arkansas Traveler.

An old negro who had been engaged to do work on a farm went to the proprietor the day after he was employed and said:

"Boss, skuze me, sah, but dars er few p'nts dat I furgot to ax yer yist'day. All ober dis heah country, sah, I'se said ter be de bes' han' on er farm, and I wants ter hab er little understandin' wid yer. Dar's some things, sah, dat yer musn't 'spect me ter do."

"What are they?"

"Well, sah, yer musn't 'spect me ter pull fodder."

"All right."

"Nur set out cabbage plants."

"Well, as you are regarded as the most trustworthy man in the neighborhood I will relieve you from such duties."

"Thank yer, sah, but wait er minit. Nur turn de grind stone."

"Well."

'Nur draw water fur de steers."

"Go ahead."

"Yes, sah, thankee. Nur git up befo' day, nur chop stove wood, nur he'p kill hogs, nur plow, nur hoe cotton, nur—"

"Hold on."

"Wall, sah."

"What do you propose to do?"

"W'y, work on de farm, sah, but I musn't clean out de well, nur feed de stock, nur cut wheat nur—"

"Hold on. I don't want you."

"Why so, sah!"

"Because you don't want to work."

"Dar yer go, jes' like all de res' o' de white folks. Say dat a nigger doan wanter work jest bercase he doan wanter kill hisse'f. Long ez he jis gits right down an' humps hisse'f ter death da doan say er word, but soon ez he says dat he ain't willin' ter die, w'y den da comes roun' making' er big mout er bout it."

"Well," said the proprietor after a moment's reflection, "as I need a man to see that the other hands do their work well, you may go ahead."

"Bleeged ter yer, sah, deed I is. I'll make yer de bes' oberseer yer eber seed, case I'se allus got de intrust o' de 'prieter at heart. Hole on, boss; jes er nudder word, please sah."

"Well, what is it?"

"What sorter whisky does yer drink?"

"I don't drink any."

"But what kine is yer goin' ter turn me loose er mung?"

"None."

"Ain't gwineter hab er barr'l wid er tin cup on it?"

"Of course not."

"Den, sah, we kan't trade. White folks 'specks er nigger ter work his life er way widout gittin' any freshments. No use'n talkin', sah; dar ain't no finitness twixt us."

Mercer County's Very Cheekiest Man.

From the Sharon Herald.

Dow Cochran relates a yarn, which for downright cheek lays over any book agent we have ever heard of. Several months ago the abovenamed individual caused it to be advertised that his wife had eloped with one Dan Metz. And now the latter comes back with a large bill for boarding his wife during her sojourn with the aforesaid Daniel.

Domestic Note From Vance's Land.

Bill Nye in the Chicago News.

As warm weather approaches, the mountain butter of North Carolina is getting its hair cut short.

The Eagle Perches High as Usual.

From the Mahanoy Tribune.

The trouble with England over the fishery question is that we won't scare and she won't fight.

A Plague on All the Poets.

From the Omaha Herald.

Here's hoping all the spring poetry was frost bitten in Saturday night's blizzard.

FIVE LITTLE MOUNDS.

A Pathetic War Story from the Other Side of the Line.

From the Philadelphia News.

A Lycoming county farmer, blessed by the possession of broad acres and fat cattle, and fatter cash account, had given his five sons—more precious than all else beside—that the union might be preserved. His name was Rankin. His wife was dead and his boys were his only solace, but when war against his country was declared he felt as did Volumnia, the mother of Coriolanus, when she said: "Had I a dozen sons, each in my love alike, I had rather have eleven die nobly for their country than one voluptuously surfeit out of action." So the Rankin boys went to confront grim-visaged war. The life blood of two of them made more fertile the rank growth of the peninsula and their bodies lay unclaimed amid the thousands who had gone down in the shock of battle. The bowed but not broken father came to the governor's office in Harrisburg with his tale of woe. Andrew Curtin never turned deaf ear to such as he. He said: "You are too old a man to go after your sons' bodies. I will send a messenger for them and you can rest assured that you will be enabled to give them burial."

And this was done.

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After the second battle of Manassas the aged farmer again entered the executive chamber, and, without saying a word, seated himself. The governor recognized him at once, and thought, "Can it be that this old man has been afflicted again?" He bade him approach. The visitor's voice was broken, but his tears did not fall as he said, "Governor, another of them has gone." For a moment Mr. Curtin could not speak. He silently wrung the horny hand of the despoiled father. When he found voice he said:

"You must not go. I will send for him. You shall see him again."

And this was done.

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When news of the battle of Gettysburg reached Harrisburg, Governor Curtin traveled rapidly across country and viewed that memorable conflict. After its conclusion he returned to Harrisburg and was seated late at night in his room when again Rankin entered without a word and silently seated himself upon a chair. "My God," thought Mr. Curtin, "it cannot be that the blow has fallen upon this old man again." He could not bring himself to ask the question, and for fully fifteen minutes the two men sat in that room, their heads upon their hands, and neither uttered a word. At last the old man said, as he steadied his voice: 'Governor, the other two are gone."

"The other two! This is terrible."

"Yes, governor, the other two. They have taken them all."

He wished a pass to enter the lines that he might take home his silent sons. "You are too old," said the anguished governor. "I will send for them and they shall be taken home."

And this was done.

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After Governor Curtin had returned to this country at the close of his five years' residence at the court of Russia, he was in Philadelphia when it was intimated to him that Mr. Rankin, who was still alive, would be highly delighted if his benefactor would pay him a visit when the ex-minister was on his way to his home in Centre county. Mr. Curtin said that he would comply with the wish and when he reached the railroad station nearest to the Lycoming county farmer's home, he found the old man waiting for him with a carriage. That evening the people of the surrounding country, at Mr. Rankin's bidding, flocked to do honor to the ex-governor. The next morning after partaking of a breakfast such as only a Pennsylvania farmhouse can produce, the aged agriculturist invited Mr. Curtin to join him in a walk. He led the way to a wooded knoll near the house, and atop which was a beautifully sodded inclosure, surrounded by an iron railing. Within it were five mounds and five headstones. The old man pointed towards them and simply said: "Governor, there they lie." Both men bowed their heads and neither uttered a word. In a few moments Rankin turned away with a cheery remark about the surrounding country, and from that moment during the two days' festivities that succeeded Mr. Curtin's arrival, the desolate father never again referred to his sleeping sons.

Pathetic, isn't it?

A GARDEN OF PANSIES.

Hints for the Cultivation of One of the Most Beautiful of Flowers.

From Vick's Magazine.

I have had in the heat of summer, where the sun lay till late in the afternoon, pansies an inch and three-quarters across, from seed two years old from the florist, and a ten-cent packet in the beginning. I use a mixture of cow manure, partly rotted forest leaves and wood ashes. Three quarts of ashes to a bushel of manure is enough, but two-thirds of the soil of the bed of the manure and leaves is not too much for pansies. It makes no difference whether the manure is fresh or rotted, that I can see, but it is best to have it buried with a couple of inches of rich soil over it, in which to set the seedlings.

A mulch of grass or leaves round the plants will keep the ground from drying, but if it is not rainy they should be watered every night. I think it is best to plant the seeds in a large box filled with the mixture mentioned, and in the same proportion; as the seedlings are rather slow in growth they can be cared for easier in this way when small.

Young plants beginning to bloom, covered with evergreen boughs during the winter, bloom best in spring and early summer for me. And seeds planted as early as possible in the spring do best for late summer and fall. Pinching out the heart of the plants when small will make them branch more freely.

During the summer the size of the flowers can be kept up by watering two or three times a week with water in which cow manure has been soaked till the color of strong coffee. You can hardly give them too much of it. If it gets on the leaves, rinse them with clean water. Pick off the faded blossoms. If you want seed tie a rag around the largest, finest blossoms, and leave but one seed-pod on a plant till ripe.

Kossuth in His Old Age.

Paris Letter to the Chicago Inter Ocean.

I suppose that most of your readers would be surprised if told that the famous Hungarian patriot, Louis Kossuth, is still alive. But such is the case. He is living at Turin at the advanced age of eighty-five. I have recently had two letters from Italy giving news of the venerable statesman. Mr. St. L. A. Touhay, our consul at Turin, writes me that "the general lives in retirement and receives, only semi-occasionally, visits from some few friends whom he especially desires to meet. Indeed, owing to his advanced age and consequent infirmities, he has renounced all active pursuits of any sort whatsoever." I make the following extract on the same subject from a Naples letter: "He spent last winter here with his son, Major Kossuth, who resides in Naples, and who is the magnate—the Tom Scott—of the whole western network of Italian railroads, from the Corniche or Ligurian coast to the occidental tip of the boot."

Dainty Tables at Society Teas.

Washington Correspondence Globe-Democrat.

The tables at afternoon teas are now in the best taste, and a little effort is made to offer the things that will not spoil one's appetite for the soup and prosaic things of the dinner that come so closely on its heels. Tea and chocolate and occasionally bouillon, are offered, and thin pate de foie gras sandwiches are now the fancy of the moment. In some places punch is tabooed as not being sanctioned by London example; but just now every one offers cafe glace, otherwise coffee ice cream, but served in punch cups. The cafe glace is always put on the table, either in a large salad bowl or a punch bowl, and is served with a ladle, whereby many are deluded and fail to recognize their old friend—plain coffee ice cream.

Wanted New Boots for the Gallows.

From a Vienna Letter.

Kreitter, the mendicant, who stabbed a gentleman close to St. Stephen's last November, because he refused to give him alms, has been hanged. He showed great stoicism to the last, and burst out laughing while the rope was put round his neck. His last request was for a pair of new boots, as he did not like to appear in shabby garb before the distinguished public that would witness his death.

Charter a Whole Emigrant Train.

From the Oil City Derrick.

Two good comedians have died at Evansville, Indiana, within the past two weeks. We favor a purse to send some of the poor ones down that way.

Folly to Name the Babies Grover.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

A man whose name is Dan'l has just been made pension agent at Knoxville.

A Daniel or Two Come to Judge.

From he American Angler.

It is generally conceded that it takes a smart man to set the river on fire.

THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM.

Interviews With Astronomers About Its Reappearance.

From the New York Herald.

B. Cassiopeia.

Not a very intelligible name, is it? And yet that is the name of a luminary which, on a memorable occasion, did exceedingly good service to certain wise men from the East, thereby winning for itself more glory and renown than has ever fallen to the lot of any other constellation in the heavens.

It was B. Cassiopeia and no other star that revealed to the anxious Oriental seekers after truth the birthplace of Jesus Christ. Such, at least, is the popular belief, and no astronomer has as yet succeeded in proving that the popular belief is wrong.

Of course B. Cassiopeia did not get its Latin name until quite recent times. For many centuries after it flashed before a wondering world it was known to the ignorant and learned alike as the long lost star of Bethlehem. And probably it would never have been christened anew had it seen fit to remain in the obscurity into which it passed after its first memorable appearance.

IT MAY APPEAR ANY DAY.

"When do you expect this star to appear again?"

"Well, it was due in 1880, and may appear any day now. I am assuming, of course, that it is a variable star, with a period of a little more than three hundred and eight years. Within the last two thousand years, twenty-four of these temporary stars have appeared, and all of them, like the star of Bethlehem, have been characterized by sudden outbursts that have been always followed by quiescence. Eruptions of blazing hydrogen are the cause of these outbursts."

NOT THE STAR IN ANDROMEDA.

"I have seen it stated that this star of Bethlehem might be identical with the nucleus which Hartwig, of Strausburg, discovered in the nebula of Andromeda in September, 1885. Is that possible?"

"No, sir, for the simple reason that one star is in Andromeda and the other in Cassiopeia. No one who is not gifted with an extraordinary imagination can even conceive of a star traversing the distance between these two positions in anything like 300 years."

WHERE THE STAR NOW IS.

"What is its exact posstion in the heavens now?"

"Between now and May 5 its exact position can be seen close to the north pole at half-past ten o'clock at night. Probably many telescopes are turned toward that point from time to time."

"The star of Bethlehem or the Pilgrim, as it is also called," said the editor of a scientific journal of this city, "may appear at any moment. It was due in 1880, and ought certainly to be here now—that is, assuming that it shows itself every 300 years. I believe it has been traced back as far as 320, and there is certainly no reason why it should forget to pay us a visit this time. One can never tell, however, what a variable star will do. Its appearance would create world-wide interest, because it would strengthen the popular belief that it is the very same star that guided the wise men from the east to Jerusalem. School children, as well as astronomers, would be interested in such a case."

Several other competent persons were interviewed on the subject, and the consensus of opinion seemed to be that the star would appear in a short time and astonish the world with its old time brilliancy. One thing is certain, that for some time to come all who own telescopes will turn them pretty frequently toward that point of the heavens in which B. Cassiopeia has lain dormant for three centuries.

Fate of a Cow that Ate Soap.

From the Indianapolis Journal.

Mention was made in this paper a short time since about a cow in Montgomery county eating several bars of soap, and also the fact that the cow died and that the owner of the animal had sued for damages. Rev. E. W. Lawbon, of New Richmond, while on his way to an appointment at Jamestown, purchased some soap and placed it in a sleigh owned by George Deihl, who was to deliver it at the minister's house. Afterwards Deihl met a man named Howard Dewy; they exchanged horses and Deihl went home in Dewy's buggy, while Dewy went to see a girl at the residence of George Saxe, with the soap under the seat, not knowing it was in the sleigh. The cow of Saxe ate the soap and died, of course. An examination was held and soap was found in the cow's stomach. Mr. Saxe has sued all three of the above persons, so as to be sure of getting damages from somebody. The cow belonged to Saxe, the soap to Lawbon, the sleigh containing the soap to Deihl the horse hitched to the sleigh to Dewy, and Dewy was the person who went to see the girl of the man whose cow ate the soap. If the man had included the young lady whom Dewy went to see as a party to the suit, then it might be easier to tell who damages could be recovered from, for surely the girl had as much to do with the death of the cow as some of the other parties.

ECHOES FROM THE PEOPLE.

Our Memorial Day.

ANNISTON, Ala., April 25.—Editors Constitution: I see it suggested in your issue of the 22d instant that our southern "Memorial Day" be changed to the 30th of May so as to correspond with the northern "Decoration Day." I do not understand how such a change could be seriously considered for a moment by any one who comprehends the true tenderly mournful meaning of our "Memorial Day." The author of our Memorial Day, after tireless effort, succeeded in having it recognized and set apart as a day sacred to the memory of a lost cause and the glorious dead who gave their lives for it, and it is now woven into the sweet and tender traditions of the south as one of mourning, not of exultation. "Decoration Day" at the north is celebrated as a day of triumphant exultation over the last expiring gasp of the cause we seek to mourn for and sanctify in the memory of the youth of the land. How utterly incongruous then, would it be to have these solemn rites celebrated on the same day—at one grave the grief-stricken mourner of a lost cause and its cherished dead, and at the other, one whose tears cannot hide the flash of exultant joy over the downfall of the cause for which her sister mourns.

Your readers will excuse the interest I take in this subject (apart from being a confederate soldier) for it was my mother who suggested and originated the Memorial Day custom. You will find a copy of her first plea for the day in Avery's history of Georgia. Very respectfully,

C. H. WILLIAMS.

Music in the Family.

Mrs. Sigourney.

An excellent clergyman, possessing much knowledge of human nature, instructed his large family of daughters in the ordinary practice of music. They were all observed to be amiable and happy. A friend inquired if there was any secret in his mode of education. He replied, "When anything disturbs their tempers I say to them 'sing'; and if I hear them speaking against any person I call them to sing to me; and they "sing away all causes of discontent and every disposition to scandal." Such a use of this accomplishment might seem to fit a family for the company of angels; young voices around the domestic altar, breathing sacred music at morning an evening devotion, are as sweet and touching as companiment.

The Washing Machine He Got.

From the Norristown Herald.

A resident of Norristown township recently read an advertisement by the makers of a particular soap, in which they stated their intention to distribute, free of cost, one thousand washing machines. His wife wanted a machine of that sort, and he wrote to them, resolving to profit by their liberality. What he received in return was a cake of their soap, a circular setting forth its merits, and a wash rag. The gentleman now has new ideas as to what constitutes a washing machine.

A Highly-Born Thief.

From the Galignani's Messenger.

The wife of a high official in the royal household of Italy, living at Genoa, has been arrested and sentenced to five days' imprisonment as a kleptomaniac for stealing several pairs of silk stockings from a shop. Her arrest has caused a great sensation on account of her position in society.

Gorgeous Gown of a British Peeress.

From the Court Circular.

The Countess of Yarborough wore a gown composed of white and gold brocade, the front of the dress being entirely covered with pearls, rubies and diamonds, sewn, as it were, thickly over the corsage and skirt.

Odd Ball in Paris.

From Galignani's Messenger.

At the ball of the Ventre de Paris (stomach of Paris) the other day the dancing chamber was decorated with hams and garlands of sausages.

Gen le Spring the Season of Blizzards.

From the Boston Globe.

Gardeners in the suburbs are using steam drills to plant peas.

THE BIG COMMISSION.

THE INTERSTATE COMMISSIONERS TO ARRIVE TODAY.

The First Meeting to be Held This Afternoon in the Hall of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce—Many Railway Officials and Business Men Here—Opinions About the Meeting

The members of the interstate commerce commission will reach Atlanta this afternoon at 2:20 o'clock in a special train on the Air-Line railroad.

The first session of the commission will be held at three o'clock this afternoon in the hall of the Atlanta chamber of commerce. It is probable that any business will be transacted at the first meeting, other than the arranging of a programme for the future sitting of the body.

Last night the corridors of the Kimball house were thronged with prominent railroad officials and representative business men from many of the southern towns and cities.

Several cities have sent delegations of merchants and members of boards of trade and chambers of commerce. All the mills in upper South Carolina have representatives here who will urge their interests before the commission. Colonel Converse, of Spartanburg, S. C., representing the Clifton cotton factory; Colonel Summers, of Greenville, representing the Camperdown mill; Colonel McLaughlin, of Newberry, president of the extensive cotton factory of that town, have already arrived. Six or eight other mill men will reach here on the early trains today. At 10 o'clock this morning all the representatives of mills and factories will hold a preliminary conference in the Kimball house, to formulate their grievances and petitions and agree upon concert of action. Last night none of the mill representatives could vouchsafe any definite information concerning the action they may take.

Crowds of railway magnates are here, and others are arriving by every train. Already on the ground, among others, are the following: General John B. Peck, general manager of the South Carolina railway; General E. P. Alexander, of the Central; M. H. Smith and M. Stahlman, of the Louisville and Nashville; Major Hansell, of the Georgia railroad; Mr. Thomas, of the Nashville and Chattanooga railroad, and Albert Fink, receiver of the East Tennessee Virginia and Georgia railway. In addition to these, all the other officers of the Southern Steamship and Railway company.

Columbia, S. C., sends to represent her interests Colonel S. A. Pearce, president of the board of trade of that city, and Captain W. G. Childs, one of the wealthiest and most influential business men of that place. Colonel Pearce is the bearer of a formal memorial which was adopted by the Columbia board of trade. The bearer of this memorial was not willing last night to disclose its contents.

Mr. Anderson, S. C., is strongly represented by the mayor, Mr. G. F. Tolley, one of its leading merchants, Mr. R. S. Hill, and its state senator, Hon. E. J. Murray. This delegation will meet this morning to consider what course to pursue. Mr. Murray, who is a very brilliant orator, will be the spokesman of the delegation.

As far as is now known the following cities either have representatives here already or they will arrive by the time the commission assembles: Charlotte, Raleigh, Richmond, Danville, Lynchburg, Spartanburg, Greenville, Columbia, Augusta, Charleston, Savannah, Columbus, Macon, Nashville, Montgomery, Chattanooga, Knoxville and Birmingham.

General E. P. Alexander said last night to a reporter: "My impression is that the railway representatives have no grievances to lay before the commissioners at this time. They had opportunity to present their case fully at a meeting of the commission in Washington city. They did so in so able a manner that the commission acceded to their demands by suspending the operation of the obnoxious section of the act. All that the railways can now reasonable require is for this temporary suspension to be made permanent. This I am disposed to believe will be done. There are many railway men here, but so far as I am informed they do not purpose making any organized move upon the commission. Indeed the commissioners have plainly said: 'We do not desire to hear from the railways now, for we have given them a hearing; we want to give the business men and the people an audience.' By this means that the people—the merchants, farmers, etc., will have the first claims upon the commission."

"General, how long do you think the session will last?"

"I can not say. I do not believe any one can now, because it is not now understood what will be brought before the commission."

One of the representative men of the Knoxville delegation stated that his committee had a memorial, passed by the board of trade of that city, which would be formally presented to the commission. He was not willing, in advance of the meeting, to reveal the character of the memorial.

An effort was made last night to induce all the representatives from South Carolina to meet in caucus so as to pool their issues and unify their complaints, grievances and petitions into one paper. This project, however, was opposed by some of the low country representatives, who believe that every community shall stand upon its own bottom. A preliminary meeting will be held this morning, at which some plan will be decided on.

A large delegation from Charleston is expected to reach Atlanta this morning. The chairman of this delegation will be the Hon. Augustine T. Smyth, state senator.

The committee of the Atlanta chamber of commerce met yesterday afternoon, with Mr. Inman in the chair. Several papers were received from merchants and placed in proper form for presentation to the commission. The committee passed a resolution placing at the disposal of the commission the chamber of commerce hall for its daily sessions. This offer will probably be accepted.

The Georgia railroad commissioners will, in a body, make a formal call upon the visiting commissioners as soon as they arrive. The commission will not, however, present any case or sign any claims or grievances or present any memorial in its official capacity.

The commissioners will at this afternoon's meeting announce the order of business of their meetings, the hours at which they will be held, etc., all of which will be published in tomorrow's CONSTITUTION.

A Schooner Sinks.

NEW YORK, April 25.—[Special.]—Schooner H. Jackson from Doboy, Ga., with a cargo of timber for Hillon lumber company, New Haven, started up the sound today. She struck a table rock at the southern Blackwells island and ripped a hole in her bottom. She had time to reach the dock and land her crew before she filled and sunk.

An Erring Brother.

Andrew Cushonberry, a colored broommaker living on Victoria street, was arrested by Officer Long yesterday upon a warrant issued by Justice Landrum. Andrew, it seems, is the janitor of Enterprise assembly No. 3,209, Knights of Labor, and is charged with having made away with $10 belonging to the assembly.

Outer Pockets for Overskirts.

From the Hartford Times.

"We have been reading the first spring fashion letter of this morning, and in the midst of it shouted, 'Hurrah! we are really going to have pockets.' Some but women who have been deprived of them don't know how many weary and pocketless years will comprehend my pent-up feelings on the subject. They are to be large and deep pockets, made with silk and velvet patches and sewed only on the outer side of the overskirt. Judging by the description, nothing could be homelier. But they would be good pickpocket baitsif women had any money to put into them. But, under such circumstances, they can tolerate thieves and cobwebs for the sake of the pockets.

Scrofula, salt rheum, all humors, boils blood, general sick headache, ostarrh and Sarsaparilla. Sold by druggists. Fifty Doses One Dollar.

THE SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Nashville Defeats Savannah by a Score of 18 to 5.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 25.—[Special.]—Nashville today defeated Savannah by a score of 18 to 5, the clearest defeat sustained, and knocked McArthur clean out of the box. McArthur and Dallas were the battery for Savannah; Hayes and Nicholas for Nashville. In the fifth inning Mathias was badly hurt sliding home, and Mannion was substituted.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Nashville	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	6	7	—18
Savannah	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	—5

Errors, Nashville 4, Savannah 8; base hits, Nashville 25, Savannah 13; earned runs, Nashville 10, Savannah 1. Umpire, Diestel.

Memphis Defeats Charleston.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 25.—[Special.]—The third game of the series between Memphis and Charleston was played to a very fair audience yesterday. A close game was expected, as Charleston had in her crack battery. The game was exciting up to the sixth inning, the score being 3 to 1 in favor of Memphis. In this inning Andrews drove the ball over the fence, bringing in a man besides himself. Brilliant plays were the order of the day. In the third inning Phelan made a home run. McAler did some fine work in the center field.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Memphis	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	4—10
Charleston	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1

Games Elsewhere.

At Philadelphia—Athletic 13, Metropolitan 0.

At Brooklyn—Six innings, rain, Brooklyns 16, Baltimore 10.

Opposed to Sunday Baseball.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 25.—[Special.]—A meeting of the ministers of all denominations will be held at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian association, at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, for the purpose of taking action with regard to the violation of the law against baseball on Sunday. It is expected that a meeting of citizens, without regard to party, creed or race, will be called at an early day, to give expression to the sentiment of the people of Nashville. The matter was informally discussed at the ministers' meeting at the Methodist Publishing house this morning.

Memphis Races.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 25—There was only a moderate crowd today at the opening of the spring meeting of the Memphis Jockey club.

First race, three-fourths mile, Birthday won, Mamie Hunt second, Donovan third. Time 1:19½.

Second race, one mile, Kaloolah won, Wary second, Little Minch third. Time 1:46¾.

Third race, one and one eighth miles, Favor won by one length, Irish Pat second, Lafitte third. Time 1:58.

Fourth Race, seven-eighth mile, Barnburg won, Ovid second, Queen Bess third. Time 1:32½.

Fifth race, three-fourth of a mile, Miss Goodrich won, Shadow second, Biddy Bowling third. Time 1:19¾.

THE COBRA'S VICTIM.

A Terrible Story from Real Life in the East Indies.

From the San Francisco Examiner.

On a broiling hot day, such as one often experiences in the East Indies, the sun was pouring down its fiece rays upon the scorched earth; life seemed to be extinct, all was so calm and silent, and even the few men employed around my house moved noiselessly about, as if to be in keeping with the rest of nature.

My house, situated a little distance from a busy town, was built of stone, with a veranda overgrown with creepers all around it, such as is seen in most Anglo-Indian residences, and surrounded by a small garden in which all the beauties of a tropical climate flourished.

THE STRANGE PET.

During this afternoon I was resting myself in an easy bamboo chair alone in my room; the blinds were drawn down to keep it as cool as possible, but nevertheless the heat was intense, making me feel restless and irritable. Novel after novel I opened, and after reading a few pages flung the book aside; and having tried for a few minutes to sleep, I got up and went to one of the windows. Drawing up the blind quietly, I saw on the veranda my little daughter Gladiz.

She was adored by my wife and myself, being our only child, and I was about to tap the glass in order to attract her attention, when I noticed that she was carrying a bowl of what appeared to be bread and milk, and seemed to be looking for some one. At the same time I saw, to my horror, a huge snake of the most venomous kind—cobra—creeping from the side of the house along the veranda toward her. She went slowly to meet it.

I knew that it would now be impossible for me to go out or to make the slightest sound without attracting the snake's attention, and then I shuddered, for when once it was alarmed the consequences might be fearful, so I had to watch what was going to happen in a cold perspiration of fear for the safety of my child.

A TERRIBLE MOMENT.

The cobra, on reaching the child, reared its loathsome head in the air until level with the bowl, meanwhile darting its tongue backward and forward and casting fierce glances around to see if danger was near, while it devoured the bread and milk. Gladiz stroked its head gently and called the reptile "her pet," "her pretty snake."

I watched the food gradually disappear, and could have cried for relief when I saw the snake had finished its meal, which I inwardly vowed should be its last. It then crept slowly toward a hole in the side of the house, into which it disappeared.

I rushed from the room, and, meeting Gladiz coming into the hall, picked her up in my arms and kissed her frantically, exclaiming: "Oh, Gladiz, Gladiz, the snake!" The child began to cry, knowing then I had seen her with her pet. Her nurse coming up to know what was the matter, I gave Gladiz into her charge, and went to find my wife, to whom I told all that had occurred.

My wife learned from Gladiz that she had been accustomed to feed the snake twice a day—after breakfast and during the afternoon—for the last three months, and often, if she thought she was being watched, she would leave the bowl on the veranda, fetching it away at another time.

We, my wife and myself, arranged that the bowl should be put in its place as usual tomorrow morning, and that I should shoot the snake from the window of my room while it was eating. We also thought it best that Gladiz should not be told that her pet was going to be killed.

Breakfast was rather hurried next morning, for I was anxious to get this dangerous pet killed as soon as possible. The bowl was temptingly put in its place, as directed by Gladiz, and I took up my position with a gun at the window of my room, completely hidden from the outside by the Venetian blind. The child was taken by my wife to the nursery, as arranged between us the evening before. All was ready now, the snake alone was wanting.

It did not keep me long waiting. Soon I saw its head appear out of the hole. The snake looked around with its glittering eyes, and, seeing the bowl, crawled out on to the veranda and made its way toward it.

It seemed frightened; once or twice it turned round as if to return. Would that it had.

THE CRISIS.

My time had come; the cobra was rapidly eating its meal. I, carefully bringing the gun to my shoulder, fired. The brute rolled over, quivering and writhing on the ground.

I began to pull up the blind with the intention of going out and giving the cobra the deathblow, when I heard a fearful scream and a moment after saw Gladiz run past the window—her golden hair loose, her dress torn—toward the wounded snake.

THE END.

Before I could prevent her she had thrown herself on her knees by it, and lifting its head in her hands pressed it against her cheek, weeping bitterly while she did so; instantly the cobra buried its poisoned fangs into her delicate flesh. She screamed and unclasped her hands from around the snake.

A cry escaped my lips as I saw what had happened, and taking Gladiz in my arms, carried her indoors. All that medical skill could do to save our child was done, but of no avail. In less than two hours she was dead. Years have passed since then, but I never can forget the events of that fearful day.

E. H. CRAWSHAY.

San Francisco, April, 1887.

LOVE AND LAW.

INTERESTING CASE DECIDED BY THE SUPREME COURT.

Cupid's Capers with Litigants and Lawyers—A Suit Covering Seven Years, in the Course of Which Many Peculiar Features Have Been Developed—A Case Hard to Settle.

The freaks and fancies of the little god of love are varied, but when he goes in to win he usually has things his own way.

The incidents surrounding what is known as the Poullain case present abundant evidence of this fact.

The supreme court has just rendered a decision in this case. It has been long upon the dockets of the courts and presents some unusual and interesting features.

In 1879, Miss Anna M. Poullain and Miss Hallie B. Poullain, of Greenesboro, Ga., filed a bill in equity against their grandfather, Dr. Thomas N. Poullain, Sr., alleging that in 1856 Dr. Poullain had given to their father, Mr. Junius Poullain, a plantation in Floyd county. They state that Mr. Poullian had taken possession of the place and had put improvements on it amounting to some $4,000, and after doing so had died; that their grandfather had then taken the place to manage or sell for their benefit, but after selling it did not account to them for the proceeds. It was further alleged that he had also given to his children and grandchildren, including the parties suing, the dividends arising from the Fontenoy mills, in Greene county, and that their share was received by him as their guardian.

Dr. Poullain denied that he had given any of this property absolutely to his children or grandchildren, but said he had merely loaned the farm to his son, and had reserved the right to control the dividends of the mill. He claimed that he had lost largely by the war and the subsequent worthlessness of confederate currency, and had expended a considerable sum for the benefit of his grandchildren. The case has been tried four times in the superior court and three times in the supreme court, and during that time some queer changes have taken place in the relative status of the parties interested.

It was at this stage that Cupid began taking an interest in the proceedings.

When the litigation first began Mr. Hal Lewis, of Greenesboro, was one of counsel for Dr. Poullain, and made a most vigorous and able defense for his client, contributing largely to the success of his side of the case upon the first trial. During the progress of the litigation, however, he fell a victim to the charms of one of his adversaries, and married Miss Hallie B., the younger of the sisters.

Of course Cupid was stronger than the law and he severed his professional connection with the case. So high, however, was the esteem in which both sides held the firm with which he was connected that, by mutual consent, his brother, Mr. Gray Lewis, remained as counsel for the defendant, he not having experienced the entanglements of matrimony.

During the long continued fight, another lawyer, this time of the opposite side, came within the influence of the tender passion, and Mr. James B. Park, one of the attorneys for the sisters, married Miss Anna Poullain.

Inspired by the example of his granddaughters, Dr. Poullain, by this time a widower, took unto himself another wife, and now the conclusion of this much mixed litigation finds him, it is said, at the ripe age of upwards of ninety years.

On the last trial of the case in the superior court, the jury found in favor of the complainants for $6,666 66, and the case again came to the supreme court where the final argument was made last week and, after consideration, the judgment of the court below was affirmed. During its long life, lawyers have come into the case, and lawyers have died out of it, and lawyers have retired from it, so that it may be said to have covered a legal generation. At its termination, the successful complainants were represented by Messrs. John C. Reed, F. C. Foster, James B. Park and J. H. Lumpkin, while Dr. Poullain was represented by Colonel Joel A. Billups, and Messrs. H. G. Lewis and D. B. Sanford.

PERSONAL.

W. G. BROWNE, dentist, 63½ Whitehall. 5t

BUSSEY, "The Old Hat Man," repairs old hats; 2½ Marietta street. ft

SAM WALKER, 2½ Marietta street, makes the handsomest picture frames in the city. tf

HON. B. H. BIGHAM, Hon. W. C. Yancy and Mr. R. S. McFarland, of Troup county, are in the city.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL NELMS is considerably under the weather.

MRS. J. ELBERT BIVINS, of Americus, is a guest, for a few days, of Captain R. J. Redding's family, 62 Luckie street.

DR. J. T. ACTON and lady, from Oxford, Ala., are in the city, the guests of Colonel T. M. Acton. Accompanying Dr. Acton's party are Mrs. Captain John F. Smith and Mrs. A. F. Allen, of DeArmanville, Ala. Captain Smith is the owner of the noted Boiling Spring of Calhoun county, Alabama.

Attention is called to the law card of Lyon and Estes, attorneys at law, Macon, Ga. Judge Lyon senior member of the firm is one of the most distinguished members of the Georgia bar, while Mr. Claude Estes, the junior member, is well known as a most brilliant young attorney. The firm will no doubt be exceedingly successful.

AT THE DIMBALL.—R S McConghrin, Newbury S C; D E Converse, Spartanburg, S C; O E Fleming' Spartanburg, S C; W Preston Nix and wife, New York; J S Gilliam, Jr; Virginia; J A Odell, Greensboro, N C; J M Scott, Greensboro, N C; S S Brown, Greensboro, N C; J M Fry, Greensboro, S C; G L Chandran, John L Elliott, A H Chisholm, Jr, R T Blankenship, Richmond; J T Myers, Norfolk, R Winkelbaum, St Louis; W R Singleton, Macon, Ga; E B Hornady, Ga; Mrs M B Collins and child, Iowa; B H Bigham, LaGrange, Ga; R Matte Smith, Washington, Ga; W O Harper, Ga; M F Burgham, wife and child, Chicago; A H Leech, New York; Hamilton Gency, Rome; C S Stratton, Knoxville; J T Calcord, Amoskey, Me; C Churchman, Eastman; G V Gress, Gresston, Ga; S H Griswold, Macon; J H Hammill, New York; Geo I Parrish, Cincinnati; B H Eddy, Chicago; C W Dyer, Holyoke, Mass; W F Blockl, wife and child, Chicago; M T Hodge, Hawkinsville; Chas Harris, Ga; R S Hill, E B Murray, G F Tally, Anderson, S C; S A Pearce, W G Childs, Columbia, S C; J S Morrison, Athens, Ga; T S Dumley, Knoxville; Mrs Shaw, Mitchell, Dak; J R Hatmaker, New York; John B Peck, Charleston; T M Green, Washington; Wm Cald r, Henry Savage, Wm Gilchrist, Wilmington; C Z Murdock, Meridian; J M Dunwoody, G E Alwood, Macon; A E Herring, W L Young, Alabama; Henry Fink, L F Brown, New York; J M Thomas, Savannah J R Klotz, M J Maxwell, Cincinnati; W S Tutts; Boston; W A Camp, Georgia; A Burt, Chattanooga; O E Senkins, Chicago, G W Thomas, Eatonton, Ga; Judge B H Bigham, Wm C Vaneey, R S McFarlin, LaGrange; D S Jackson, Augusta; J A Harris, Savannah; J Monroe Ogden, Macon, Ga; W T Babbitt, Richmond, Va; L M Trammell, Dalton, Ga; Geo W Brown, Nashville; E H Gaines, Va; George Washington, Cincinnati; M B Hamilton, John D Berry, Newnan, Ga; M J O'Brien, N Y; Virgil Powers, Macon; J G Truett, Lagrange, Ga; Edgar Hinton, Americus; Wm P Chamberlin and son, M J Conden, J C Luttrell, J M Thornborough and son, Charles Budger, E E McCrosky, Knoxville, Tenn; C N Featherston, J H Reynolds, Rome, Ga; V Starr, E C Martin, New York; G B Clark, Greensboro, Ga; A D Candler, Gainesville, Ga; R Samuels and wife, Miss Bangels, Russelville; W H Cobb, Gainesville; J H Moses, Cedartown; H R Smith, Louisville, Ky; Alex S Erwin, Athens, Ga; Mr and Mrs D Blake, New York; Jas A Benson, E Y Hill, D DuBose, Washington, Ga; W T Jones, Albany; G E Atwood, Darien; J M Dunwoody, Macon; T A Hardeman, Evansville, Ind; C Estes, Macon; E Ingram, N Y Juo D Young, Louisville; P W Meldrim, Savannah; Miss Susie Mudd, Earle Sloan, Birmingham, Ala; J M Culp, Lovisville; C D Shaw, Louisville; Chas Handy, Ga; Ed Herring, Philadelphia; Miss Stoushelf, Nashville; B Stoushelf, Nashville, Tenn; J Y Sage, J W Johnston, M H Smith, J H Ellis, Birmingham; B Stahtman, Nashville; C W Cushman wife and son, T B Lewis and wife, Buffalo; Miss P Blakely, Mauch Cheuck; L E Brian, Charleston, S C; C C Brenneman, Birmingham, Ala; Julius S Cherner, Cartersville, Ga; Chas A Cook, Cleveland, Ohio; J W Waters, Albany, Ga; G W R Williams, John Hess, R R Long, Augusta, Ga; A D Guild, Fort Wayne, Ind; Wm C Branett, Rock Run, Ala; J W Wilson, Louisville, James Lahey, W T Starke, New York; Frank Fitch; Rock Run, Ala; T E Branch, Augusta; J W Thomas, Nashville; Joseph L Strauss, New York; T J Youmans, Knoxville; R Morris, New York; E P Alexander, W F Shelliman, Andrew Anderson, Savannah.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

KIRKSEY.—The friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kirksey, Rev. H. F. Buchanan, Mrs. T. G. McHan, Mr. J. A. Buchanan, Mrs. Joseph Church, Mrs M. McDuffy, Mrs. A. R. Churchill and Mr. G. W. Buchanan are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. G. W. Kirksey from 77 Decatur street today at 2 p. m. Burial at Oakland cemetery.

MEMPHIS MAN HUNTERS.

Reinforcing a Police Force With a Pack of Philadelphia Hounds.

From the Memphis Scimitar.

The first installment of the canine detectives arrived this morning in the shape of three powerful hounds of the kind used before the war to catch runaway slaves. They are about fourteen months old, and named Rusky, Niger and Joe, and did not look very dangerous as they faced a curious crowd in the stationhouse yard before the opening of court.

A test of their quality was made on Wednesday at the camp. A negro convict, under ten years' sentence, was released and told that he should have his liberty if he escaped the dogs. He was given three hours start, and then the brutes were put on his trail. They caught him before he had gone twenty miles.

President Hayden was anxious to ascertain the exact ages of the dogs, and proposed that somebody in the crowd that stood around him in the stationhouse yard should open their mouths and gain the desired information from the appearance of their teeth, but the proposition was voted down with surprising unanimity. A competent man will be employed to care for them. The new detectives will probably be given a trial within a day or two, if any work-house convict can be found who is willing to stake his speed and endurance against their scent and intelligence.

At the opening of the police court this morning his honor said to the audience: "After much delay, expense an' research into the genealogy an' respective merits of trainin' caninity, we got three charmers. These, together with three bloodhounds now on the way from Philadelphia, will be the nucleus of a pack of trailers for the catchin' of criminals in the city an' county. They are guaranteed to give any man a start of three days an' nail him at the finish, an' they will be used to take in parties guilty of any sort of crime, from murder to chicken-stealing."

Big Sale in May.

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	No. 15.	No. 13.
Leave Atlanta	6 00 a m	3 45 p m
Arrive Macon	9 20 a m	7 05 p m
Leave Macon	9 35 a m	7 20 p m
Arive Jesup	3 20 p m	1 10 a m
Leave Jesup	3 20 p m	1 30 a m
Arrive Waycross	4 40 p m	3 00 a m
Arrive Callahan	6 57 p m	5 25 a m
Arrive Jacksonville	7 35 p m	6 15 a m
Leave Waycross	7 58 p m	6 15 a m
Arrive Thomasville	11 25 p m	10 25 a m
Leave Jesup	3 35 p m	1 45 a m
Arrive Brunswick	5 35 p m	5 45 a m
Leave Jesup	6 16 p m	3 20 a m
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Arrive Charleston	1 25 a m	12 55 p m

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Leave Chattanooga	9 30 a m	9 15 p m
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" Bristol	7 35 p m	5 45 a m
" Roanoke	2 15 a m	12 35 p m
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" Luray	7 50 a m	6 03 p m
" Hagerstown	11 55 n'n	10 00 p m
" Harrisburg	3 50 p m	1 20 a m
" Philadelphia	6 50 p m	4 45 a m
" New York	9 35 p m	7 00 a m
Leave Roanoke	2 20 a m	12 30 n'n
Arrive Lynchburg	4 30 a m	2 30 p m
" Washington	12 00 n'n	9 40 p m
" Baltimore	1 27 p m	11 35 p m
" Philadelphia	3 47 p m	3 00 a m
" New York	6 20 p m	6 20 a m
Leave Lynchburg	6 45 a m	3 05 p m
Arrive Burkville	9 20 a m	5 27 p m
" Petersburg	11 16 a m	7 15 p m
" Norfolk	2 25 p m	10 00 p m
Leave Hagerstown	12 50 n'n	.....
Arrive Baltimore	3 45 p m	.....
" Philadelphia	7 49 p m	.....
" New York	10 35 p m	.....

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Arrive Cincinnati	7 00 p m	6 50 am
Arrive Chicago	6 50 a m	6 50 pm
Arrive St. Louis	7 45 a m	6 40 p m

VIA N. C. & S. L. R'Y.

Leave Chattanooga	1 20 p m	11 50 p m
Arrive Nashville	7 00 p m	6 20 a m
Arrive Louisville	2 25 a m	2 30 p m
Arrive Chicago	10 50 a m	7 05 a m
Arrive St. Louis	7 40 a m	8 00 p m

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Leave Atlanta	2 45 pm
Leave Gainesville	5 55 am
Arrive Athens	7 40 pm
Arrive Washington	7 35 pm
Arrive Augusta	3 15 pm

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" Athens....5 30 pm	" Milledgeville 9 38 am
" Washington...2 20 pm	" Washington 11 20 am
" Milledgeville 4 13 pm	" Athens....9 00 am
" Macon....6 00 pm	Ar Gainesville... 8 25 pm
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CONSTITUTION OFFICE.
ATLANTA, April 25, 1887.

New York exchange buying at par and selling at ¼ premium.

STATE AND CITY BONDS.	Bid.	Asked.	R.R. BONDS.	Bid.	Asked
New Ga., 4½s			Ga. 6s, 1910	112	114
20 year	105¾	107	Ga. 6s, 1922	114	116
Ga. 6s, 1889	103	104	Cent. 7s, 1893	110	112
Ga. 7s, gold	107	109	C. C. & A. 1st	112	114
Ga. 7s, 1896	121	123	A. & C. 1st	100	122
S. C. Brown	107	109	A. & C. Inc.	105	107
Savannah 5s	104	105	W. of A. 1st	105	107
Atl'ta 8s, 1902	126	127	do. 2d	110	112
Atl'ta 8s, 1892	114	116	Ga. Pac. 1st	106	109
Atl'ta 7s, 1904	121½	122½	Ga. Pac. 2d	55	60
Atl'ta 7s, 1899	117	119	Am'cus Prest. & L'mkn 1st 7s	183	110
Atl'ta 6s, L. D.	114	115	M. & N. G. 1st		102½
Atl'ta 6s, S. D.	100	105	RAILROAD STOCKS.		
Atlanta 5s	106	108	Georgia	199	201
Atlanta 4½s	102	103	At. & Char	85	90
Augusta 7s	103	105	Southwest'n	131	133
Macon 6s	111	113	S. Carolina	5	10
Columbus 5s	100	102	Central	121	123
ATLANTA BANK STOCKS.			Central deb	103	104
Atlanta Nat'l	200	—	Aug. & Sav	125	130
Merch's B'k	135	—	A. & W. Pt	111	113
B'k State Ga.	140	—	do. deb	104½	105½
Gate City Nat.	140	—	RAILROAD BONDS.		
			C. C. & A.	45	50
			Ga. 6s, 1897	109	111

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Stocks as Reported at the New York Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The new week at stock exchange opened with a moderately active but feverish, irregular and unsettled market. The pivotal stock of the day was New England. A decline in stock was checked after the first hour. On the other hand there was marked strength in Union Pacific and Oregons, which made slight advances, while the remainder of the list were weak. The return of Mr. Gould, and reports that his sentiments are bullish caused an upward spurt in Western Union late in the day, in which the general market sympathized to a certain extent. Fort Worth and Denver was also notably weak in early dealings. Trading in Reading was comparatively small, but it remained firm throughout the day. The opening was generally firm, advances over Saturday's final figures in most stocks being from ⅛ to ¼ per cent. New England, with Union Pacific and Reading furnished the great bulk of the trading, and while New England, Fort Worth and the general list were heavy to weak marked strength was displayed by Union Pacific. After the first hour, however, declines were checked, and in many cases early losses were recovered before noon. A steady to firm tone was imparted to dealings in the afternoon, Western Union coming to the front. There was a slight reaction towards two o'clock in the afternoon, but the close was steady to firm at close to opening figures. The net result of the day's business is that prices are irregularly changed, though in only two cases, New England, which lost 2¼ and Wheeling and Lake Erie 1¼, are differences for more than a fractional amount.

Exchange dull but firm at 487@489. Money easy at 4@5, closing offered at 5@6. Sub-treasury balances: Coin $185,315,000; currency $15,558,000. Governments dull but steady; 4s 129⅝; 4s 100. State bonds dull but heavy.

Ala. Class A 2 to 5	103¾	N. O. Pac. 1sts	78
do. Class B 5s	112	N. Y. Central	113⅜
Ga. 7s mortgage	108	Norfolk & W'n pre.	52
N. C. 6s	123¼	Northern Pacific	29⅞
do. 4s	98	do. preferred	62
S. C. con. Brown	109¾	Pacific Mail	55⅞
Tenn. settlement 6s	77	Reading	45⅝
Virginia 6s	48	Rich & Alleghany	6¼
Virginia consols	52	Richmond & Dan.	150
Chesap'ke & Ohio	8	Rich. & W. P. Ter'l	40¾
Chicago & N.W.	126¾	Rock Island	126
do. preferred	141½	St. Paul	91⅞
Del. & Lack.	135⅝	do. preferred	120
Erie	34⅝	Texas Pacific	30⅞
East Tenn., new	13¼	Tenn. Coal & Iron	45
Lake Shore	95½	Union Pacific	62¼
L. & N.	68	N. J. Central	81¾
Memphis & Char.	59	Missouri Pacific	105½
Mobile & Ohio	16	Western Union	77½
N. & C.	83	Cotton oil trust cert.	52⅝

*Bid, †Ex-dividend.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, April 25, 1887.

New York—Futures closed firm at higher prices. Spots, middling 10⅝c.

Net receipts for 1 days 4,250 bales, against 15,876 bales last year; exports 15,981 bales; last year 22,936 bales; stock 432,218 bales; last year 725,175 bales.

Below we give the opening and closing quotations of cotton futures in New York today:

	Opened.	Closed.
April	10.50@10.54	10.58@10.59
May	10.41@10.42	10.46@.....
June	10.50@.....	10.54@10.55
July	10.56@10.57	10.60@10.61
August	10.62@.....	10.67@10.68
September	10.30@10.31	10.35@10.36
October	9.89@.....	9.94@ 9.95
November	9.78@.....	9.82@ 9.83
December	9.76@ 9.77	9.81@ 9.82

Cotton firm; sales 68,200 bales.

The following is our statement of receipts and shipments for today:

RECEIPTS.

By wagon	—
Air-Line Railroad	—
Georgia Railroad	20
Central Railroad	—
Western and Atlantic Railroad	—
West Point Railroad	—
East Tennessee, Va. & Ga. Railroad	2
Georgia Pacific Railroad	—
Total	22
Receipts previously	122,275
Total	122,297
Stock September 1	2,506
Grand total	124,803

SHIPMENTS.

Shipped today	—
Shipped previously	105,773
Taken by local spinners	13,595
Total	119,368
Stock on hand	5,435

The following is our comparative statement:

Receipts today	22
Same day last year	15
Showing a increase	7
Receipts since September	122,297
Same time last year	168,096
Showing a decrease	45,799

NEW YORK, April 25—C. L. Green & Co., in their report on cotton futures today, say: Without much animation the market has been pretty steady all day, slowly but steadily advancing 6@7 points, and closing well maintained at the highest figures reached. There appeared to be some pretty fair offerings at times, mainly from New Orleans, but the demand was waiting, and all the floating supply disappeared in comparatively prompt form.

By Telegraph.

LIVERPOOL, April 25—12:15 p. m.—Cotton dull and in buyers favor; middling uplands 5 9-16; middling Orleans 5⅝; sales 8,000 bales; speculation and export 1,000; receipts 29,000: American 6,100; uplands low middling clause May and June delivery 5 35-64; June and July delivery 5 37-64; July and August delivery 5 39-64; August and September delivery 5 41-64; September and October delivery 5 35-64; October and November delivery 5 27-64; September 5 42-64; futures opened steady.

LIVERPOOL, April 25—1:00 p. m.—Sales of American 5,200 bales; uplands low middling clause April delivery 5 36-64, sellers; April and May delivery 5 36-64, sellers; May and June delivery 5 36-64, sellers; June and July delivery 5 38-64, sellers; July and August delivery 5 40-64, sellers; August and September delivery 5 42-64, sellers; September and October delivery 5 36-64, sellers; October and November delivery 5 28-64, value; futures closed dull.

NEW YORK, April 25—Cotton quiet; sales 207 bales; middling uplands 10⅝; middling Orleans 10 13-16; net receipts 101; gross 885; consolidated net receipts 1,061; exports to Great Britain 3,816; to continent 4,498; stock 217,456.

GALVESTON, April 25—Cotton firm; middling 10⅜; net receipts 55 bales; gross 55; sales 633; stock 15,267.

NORFOLK, April 25—Cotton firm; middling 10¼; net receipts 106 bales; gross 106; stock 10,255; sales 5; exports coastwise 138.

BALTIMORE, April 25—Cotton quiet; middling 10¾; net receipts none bales; gross none; sales —; stock 5,770; sales to spinners —.

BOSTON, April 25—Cotton steady; middling 10¼; net receipts 95 bales; gross 328; sales none; stock none.

WILMINGTON, April 23—Cotton firm; middling 10⅜; net receipts 23 bales; gross 23; sales none; stock 2,239.

PHILADELPHIA, April 25—Cotton quiet; middling 10¾; net receipts none bales; gross 82; sales none; stock 23,084.

SAVANNAH, April 25—Cotton quiet; middling 10¼; net receipts 76 bales; gross 76; sales 116; stock 5,682; exports coastwise 256.

NEW ORLEANS, April 25—Cotton quiet; middling 10⅜; net receipts 411 bales; gross 411; sales 750; stock 144,356; exports to Great Britain 1,271; to continent 3,604; coastwise 2,536.

MOBILE, April 25—Cotton nominal; middling 10¼; net receipts 55 bales; gross 55; sales none; stock 3,071.

MEMPHIS, April 25—Cotton steady; middling 10¼; net receipts 276 bales; shipments 3,025; sales 400; stock 27,392.

AUGUSTA, April 25—Cotton quiet; middling 10⅜; net receipts 112 bales; shipments —; sales 4.

CHARLESTON, April 25—Cotton firm; middling 10¼; net receipts 139 bales; gross 139; sales 2; stock 1,590; exports coastwise 178.

THE CHICAGO MARKET,

Features of the Speculative Movement in Grain and Produce.

Special to The Constitution.

CHICAGO, April 25.—The wheat market was active and stronger today. There appeared to be more general buying by outsiders, the bull clique apparently not aiding the advance, and at times they threw considerable wheat on the market, despite which the market remained moderately strong throughout. A very fair share of strength came from the visible decrease, which was officially announced as 1,235,000 bushels of wheat and 818,000 bushels of corn. Three more elevators have been declared regular, which eases up the situation somewhat, giving room for nearly 400,000 bushels more of wheat. They are at present partly filled, May wheat option opened at 84⅞c, or an advance of ⅛c over Saturday. It rose quickly to 85¼c, fell off to 84¾c, and held steady at about that figure during the remainder of the day, closing on the afternoon board at 84⅞c. The export clearings were light, aggregating 93,000 bushels from three Atlantic ports. Receipts 447,000 bushels, at twelve points.

The corn market was firmer, owing to a decrease in the visible supply and the firmness shown wheat. The receipts were a little larger, and the estimated arrivals for tomorrow were moderate.

Oats were dull but steady, showing little change.

Mess pork was unchanged.

Lard was only lightly traded in, and values showed scarcely any change during the day. Short ribs closed at Saturday's figures.

The following was the range of the leading futures in Chicago today:

WHEAT—	Opening	Highest.	Closing.
April	83¾	84½	84⅛
May	84⅝	85½	84⅞
June	82⅛	83⅝	83¼
CORN—			
April	88	88⅝	88⅛
May	38⅝	38⅞	38⅝
June	41¼	41⅞	41⅝
OATS—			
April	27¾	27¾	27¾
May	28½	28⅝	28½
June	29¼	29⅝	29⅜
PORK—			
April	20 50	20 50	20 50
May	20 75	20 75	20 75
June	20 75	20 75	20 75
LARD—			
April	7 10	7 10	7 10
May	7 10	7 10	7 10
June	7 27½	7 27½	7 25
SHORT RIBS—			
April	7 77½	7 85	7 80
May	7 77½	7 85	7 80
June	8 00	8 05	8 05

PROVISIONS, GRAIN, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, April 23, 1887.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

ATLANTA, April 25—Flour—Best patent $5.50 @5.75; extra fancy $5.00@5.25; fancy $4.50@4.75; extra family $4.25@4.50; choice family 4.00; family $3.50@3.75; extra $3.25@3.75. Wheat—Tennessee 90c; western 95c@$1.00. Bran—Large sacks 97c; small $1.00. Corn meal—Plain 58c; bolted 60c; pea meal $1.00@$1.10. Grits—$3.25@3.50. Corn—No. 2 white Tennessee 58@60c; No. 2 white mixed 57@95c; mixed 56@58c. Oats—No. 2 mixed 41@42c. Hay—Choice timothy, large bales, 90c; small bales 90c; No. 1 large bales 85c; small bales 80c; clover 80c; wheat straw baled 75c. Peas—Stock $1.00@$1.10.

NEW YORK, April 25—Flour, southern steady; common to fair extra $3.40@$4.00; good to choice 4.10@$5.25. Wheat ¼@½c higher, closing firm: No. 2 red April 93⅛@93⅝, closing 93½; May 92⅞@91¾, closing at 93¾. Corn ¼@⅜c higher, closing firm; No. 2 May and June 49@49¼, closing 49¼; July 50¼, closing at 50¾. Oats ¼@⅜c higher; No. 2 April nominal 34¾; May 34¼@35. Hops unchanged; state 11@20; California 8@22.

ST. LOUIS, April 25—Flour quiet; family $3.00@$3.15; choice $3.35@$3.50; fancy $3.70@$3.80; extra fancy $3.85@$3.95; patents $4.25@$4.70. Wheat was strong with active export demand, 100,000 bushels having been taken for foreign shipment today and 500,000 bushels will go out during the week: No. 2 red cash 80@80¼; May 80¼@80⅝, closing at 80⅜; June 80⅝@81. Corn firm and ⅛@⅜c higher; No. 2 mixed cash and May 35½; June 36¼. Oats dull; No. 2 mixed cash 27¾@28; May 27⅞.

BALTIMORE, April 25—Flour firm; demand good; Howard street and western superfine $2.50@$3.10; extra $3.25@$3.75; family $3.85@$4.50; city mills superfine $2.50@$3.00; extra $3.25@$3.75; Rio brands $4.50@$4.62. Wheat, southern steady; western a shade firmer; southern red 91@94; amber 93@96; No. 1 Maryland —; No. 2 winter red spot 92@92¾. Corn, southern steady; white 48@49; yellow 48@49.

CHICAGO, April 25—Cash quotations were as follows: Fleur quiet and unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat 83¾@83½; No. 3 do. —; No. 2 red 83¾. No. 2 corn 38¾. No. 2 oats 27¾.

CINCINNATI, April 25—Flour in fair demand; family $3.45@$3.65; fancy $3.85@$4.00. Wheat stronger; No. 2 red 82½@83. Corn, No. 2 mixed 41¾@42. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed 30¼@33¾.

LOUISVILLE, April 25—Grain firm. Wheat, new No. 2 longberry 85; No. 2 red 82. Corn, No. 2 mixed 42; do. white 42. Oats, new No. 2 mixed 31.

Groceries.

ATLANTA, April 25—Coffee—Choice 17c; prime 17c; good 16¾; fair 16c; low grade 15c. Sugar—Cut loaf 7¾@—c; powdered 7¼c; A, standard granulated 6¾@6¾c; off grade 6⅝c. standard A 6¼@6⅜c; off A 6@6¼.

50c; prime 30@35c; common 20@25c. Teas—Black 35@60c; green 35@60c. Nutmegs 70c. Cloves 28c. Allspice 10c. Cinnamon 12c. Sago 50c. African ginger 12c. Mace 60c. Pepper 19c. Crackers—Milk 7c; Boston butter 8c; pearl oyster 6½c; X soda 5c; XXX do. 5¾c. Candy—Assorted stick 8½. Mackerel—No. 3 bbls $9.00; ¾ bbls $4.50; kits 60c; pails 60c. Soap $2.00@$5.00 ₩ 100 cake. Candles—Full weight 11½c. Matches—Round wood ₩ gross $1.15; ₩ 200 $2.50; ₩ 300 $3.50; ₩ 400 $4.50. Soda—In kegs 4½c; in boxes 5¾c. Rice—Choice 6¾c; prime 6c; fair 4c. Salt—Virginia 75c. Cheese—Cream 16c; factory 14c.

NEW ORLEANS, April 25—Coffee strong and higher; Rio cargoes common to prime 16¾@17¾. Sugar, Louisiana open kettle good fair to prime 4⅞@5; good common to fair 4¾@4¾; common 4½@4⅝; centrifugals, choice white 5¾@5 9 16; off white 5 9-16@5⅝; choice yellow clarified 5 11-16@5¾; prime do. 5¼; off do. 5⅜. Molasses steady; open kettle choice 46; strictly prime 42@43; good prime 37@38; prime 37@38; good fair 30@32; fair 28@30; good common 25@27; common 20@25; centrifugals, strictly prime to fancy 2@33; fair to good prime 22@25; common to good common 18@21. Louisiana syrup 30@32. Rice steady and firm; Louisiana, ordinary to prime 3⅝@4¼.

NEW YORK, April 25—Coffee, fair Rio firm at 16⅞; options active and higher; No. 7 Rio April 15.10@15.60; May 15.05@15.20; June 15.3@15.400; July 15.2@15.35. Sugar dull; centrifugal 53-16, fair to good refining 4 9-16@4 11-16; refined dull: C 4⅜@4¾; extra C 4¾@4 13-16; white extra C 4⅞; yellow 4¾@4⅝; off A 5¼; mould A 5¾@5 13-16; standard A 5 5-16@5⅜; confectioners A 5 9-16@5⅝; cut loaf and crushed 6¼@6 3-16; powdered 5¾@6; granulated 5 11-16@5¾; cubes 5⅞. Molasses quiet; 50-test 19¼. Rice steady and in fair demand; domestic 4@7.

CINCINNATI, April 25—Sugar steady; hards refined 7@7¼; New Orleans 4¾@5¾.

Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, April 25—Provisions steady. Pork, old mess $15.00; new $16.75. Lard 7.00. Dry salt meats, boxed lots, shoulders 6.00; long clear 7.87½; short ribs 8.05; short lear 8.25. Bacon, shoulders 6.37½, 6.50; long clear 8.50@8.70; short ribs 8.60@8.80; short clear 9.75@9.00; hams 11¾@14.

NEW YORK, April 25—Pork quiet; old mess $15.00@$15.20; new $16.50@$17.00. Middles dull and nominal. Lard quiet; western steam spot 7.40@ 2½; May 7.39@7.40; city steam 7.30; refined to continent 7.60.

LOUISVILLE, April 25—Provisions steady. Bacon, clear rib sides 8.62½; clear sides 8.00; shoulders 6.62½. Bulk meats, clear rib sides 8; clear sides 8¼; shoulders 5¾. Mess pork nominal. Hams, sugar cured 11¾@11½. Lard, choice leaf 8¾@8¼.

CHICAGO, April 25—Cash quotations were as follows: Mess pork $20.50. Lard 7.10. Short ribs loose 7.80. Dry salted shoulders boxed 6.00@6.10; short clear sides boxed, 8.10@8.15.

ATLANTA, April 25—Clear rib sides 8¼c. Sugar-cured hams, small average 13¾@14c; do. large average 13@13½c. Lard—Refined 7¾@8c; leaf 8¼@9c.

CINCINNATI, April 25—Pork dull at $16.25. Lard easy; current make 7.05. Bulk meats firm; short ribs 7.90. Bacon steady; short ribs 8¾; short clear 9.

Cotton Yarns and Warps.

NEW YORK, April 25—New York and Philadelphia quotations furnished by Buckingham & Paulson, 83 Leonard street, New York, 118 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, and 2 Exeter Place, Boston:

Single skeins—6s to 10s 15; 12s to 20s 15@18; 20s to 26s 18@20; 30s 21@22½; 40s 27@28; 8 ply 8s, skeins, 16; 2 ply 10s 16½@16¾; 2 ply 12s 16¾@17; 2 ply 14s 17¼@17½; 2 ply 20s 19¼@20; 2 ply 24s 22½@23; 2 ply 26s 23@24; 2 ply 40s 31½@32½; 3, 4 and 5 ply 8s 16. Soft twist, single skeins—6s to 10s 15½@17; 6s to 10s, cops, 16@17; 12 to 22s, cops, 17@18½; 26s, cops, 19½@20; 40s, cops, 22½@28. Single chain wraps 10s 16@16½; 11s 17@17½; 16s to 20s 18@19½; 22s 20½@21; 26s 22½@23; 30s 25 25@26. Two ply chain warps—12s 17½; 14s 18; 20s 20½@21; 26s 24@25; 28s 24½@25½; 30s 25@26.

Fruits and Confectioneries.

ATLANTA, April 25—Apples—$4.50. Lemons—$4.00@$4.50. Oranges—$3.50 ₩ box. Cocoanuts—$6 00 ₩ 100. Pineapples—None on market. Bananas—$1.00@$2.00. Figs—13@18. Raisins—New London, $2.40; ½ boxes $1.40; ¼ box 90c. Currants—7½@8c. Cranberries—$12.00 ₩ bbl. Leghorn citron —30c. Almonds—19c. Pecans—10@14c. Brazil—10@11c. Filberts—12½c. Walnuts — 17c. Dried fruit—Peaches unpealed 3½@5c; pealed 10@12½; apples 5@6c.

Hardware.

ATLANTA, April 25—Market steady. Horse shoes $4.50; mule shoes $5.50; horse shoe nails 12½@20c. Iron-bound hames $3.50. Trace-chains 52@70c. Ames' shovels $9.00. Spades $10.00. Well buckets $3.75@$4.50. Cotton rope 15@16c. Sweed iron 5c, rolled (for merchant bar) 13 frate. Cast-steel 10@12c. Nails $2.65@$2.75. Glidden barbed wire, galvanized ₩ lb 6c; painted 5¼c. Powder, rifle $5.00; blasting $1.90. Bar lead 7c; shot $1.65.

Live Stock.

ATLANTA, April 25.—Mules and horses in fair demand. Plugs $65@$90; drive good $150@$200; drivers $12?@$140; in $250@$300. Mules, 14¾ to 15 hands $118@$125; 15 to 15½ hands, $135@$160.

CINCINNATI, April 25—Hogs quiet; common and light $4.40@$5 35; packing and butchers $5.15 @$5.75

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Showing the arrival and departure of all train from the city. Central time.

ARRIVE.	DEPART.
EAST TENNESSEE, VIRGINIA & GEORGIA R. R	
*No. 14, from Savannah, Brunswick and Jacksonville ..... 10 50 a m	*No. 14, for Rome, Knoxville, New York, Cincinnati and Memphis ..... 1 00 p m
*No. 11, from New York, Knoxville, Cincinnati, Nashville, Memphis ..... 5 00 a m	*No. 12, for Rome, Knoxville, New York, Cincinnati and Memphis ..... 10 30 p m
*No. 13, from New York, Knoxville Cincinnati and Memphis. 3 30 p m	*No. 13, for Savannah, Brunswick and Jacksonville ..... 3 45 p m
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CENTRAL RAILROAD.	
From Macon* 12 15 am	To Macon* ..... 8 00 am
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" Bar'sville* 7 35 am	To Macon* ..... 2 00 pm
" Macon* 1 05 pm	To Barn'sville* ..... 5 15 pm
" Sav'ah * 9 00 pm	To Savannah* ..... 6 50 pm
WESTERN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD.	
From Chatta'ga* 2 15 am	To Chattanonga* 7 50 am
" " * 6 30 am	To Chattanooga* 1 40 pm
" Marietta 8 35 am	To Rome ..... 8 45 pm
" Rome 11 05 am	To Marietta ..... 4 40 pm
" Chatt'ga* 1 44 pm	To Chattanooga* 5 50 pm
" " * 6 35 pm	To Chattanooga* 12 30 am
ATLANTA AND WEST POINT RAILROAD.	
From M'tgo'ery* 6 10 am	To M'tgo'ery* ..... 1 20 pm
" LaGrange* 10 00 am	To LaGrange* ..... 5 05 pm
" M't go'ery* 1 25 pm	To M'tgo'ery* ..... 10 00 pm
GEORGIA RAILROAD.	
From Augusta* 6 40 am	To Augusta* ..... 8 00 am
" Covington. 7 55 am	To Decatur ..... 9 00 am
" Decatur ..... 10 15 am	To Clarkston ..... 12 10 pm
" Augusta* ..... 1 00 pm	To Augusta* ..... 2 45 pm
" Clarkston .. 2 20 pm	To Covington ..... 6 10 pm
"Augusta* ..... 5 45 pm	To Augusta* ..... 7 30 pm
GEORGIA PACIFIC RAILWAY.	
*From Bir'gh'm..7 20 am	*To Bir'ngh'm...9 45 am
*From Bir'gh'm..5 35 pm	*To Bir'ngh'm...4 45 pm

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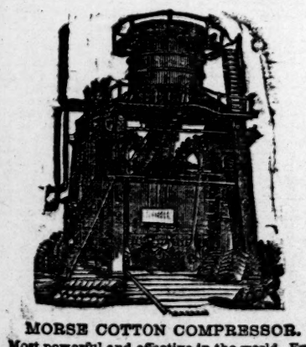

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" LaGrange	10 58 am	1 58 am	7 00 am
" Hogansville	11 28 am	2 50 am	7 33 am
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" Newnan	12 03 pm	3 58 am	8 23 am
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GATE CITY LODGE F. & A. M., U. D., at 7:30 P. M.
ATLANTA ARTILLERY, AT 1 P. M.
CONFEDERATE VETERANS AT 2:30 P. M.
MISSIONARY MASS MEETING AT TRINITY TONIGHT.

THROUGH THE CITY.

Pertinent Paragraphs Caught on the Run by the Constitution Reporters.

SUNDAY HOURS.—This being a legal holiday, the postoffice will observe the regular Sunday hours.

IN COURT YESTERDAY.—There was no session yesterday of the Atlanta circuit court, because Judge Richard H. Clark was sitting on the supreme court bench.

WANT TO DO BUSINESS IN GEORGIA.—The controller-general has received an application for permission to do business in this state from the Guarantee Mutual Accident association, of New York.

IN FAVOR OF THE CITY.—The superior court was engaged yesterday in trying the case of Dunning against the city, the details of which have already been given in the CONSTITUTION. The jury returned a verdict for the city.

BOUND OVER.—M. C. Fleming, the man who shot Reed in the Cannon house case, appeared before Justice Tanner yesterday, and waiving examination, gave bonds for his appearance before the city court. The woman in the case failed to put in an appearance.

REVENUE SEIZURE.—Deputy Collector J. W. Alexander reported yesterday the seizure of an unregistered distillery in Gilmer county, supposed to be the property of John C. Hays and Hugh Davis. Seven tubs and 700 gallons of beer were destroyed. No arrests.

NOT THE MAN.—Mr. John Y. Griffin, who is in the employ of Mr. Morris, of Peachtree street, states that he is not the John Y. Griffin who figured in police circles Saturday night. The man arrested is not John Y. Griffin, as he gave his name, but John Z. Griffin.

THE SUPREME COURT.—Judge Richard H. Clark is presiding today in the case of A. C. Bond, administrator, vs. E. S. Windsor, administrator, in place of Chief Justice Bleckley, who is disqualified from sitting in this case. The case comes up from the superior court of Fulton county.

GONE TO ALABAMA.—Joshua Burtz, late secretary and treasurer of the Young Mens' Co-operative Employment association, who was recently bound over on the charges of larceny by trust and cheating and swindling, has gone for Eufaula, Alabama. His shortage is estimated all the way from one to six hundred dollars.

OFF FOR AUGUSTA.—Governor and Mrs. Gordon left yesterday afternoon for Augusta, where the governor will participate in the memorial Day exercises. Governor Gordon is by no means recovered from his illness, and was quite unwell when he took the train yesterday. He expects to return to this city on Wednesday.

STRANGE PETS.—Two vicious little alligators each about a foot long, were among the perishable matter seized at the postoffice yesterday. They were confined in a small wooden box directed to C S. Raddin, of Evanston, Ill., and were marked "merchandise." The alligators will be held until the consignee can be heard from.

RAILROAD ROBBER RETURNED.—An executive warrant was issued yesterday for the delivery of a negro named Porter Wimbey to the authorities of South Carolina. Wimbey, who has been under arrest at Gainesville, is wanted at Greenville, S. C., for being implicated in the Richmond and Danville railroad robberies.

THE TENT SHOW.—Cook's big canvas show had an exhibition last night to an immense crowd. Every seat was occupied, and scores of people were standing during the performance. The show has moved to the lot corner of Boyd and Hunter streets, where Tillman's tent was pitched. Everybody that attended last night's performance says it was remarkably good in all respects.

HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGES.—John Griffin and Charles McCreary, the two men who were arrested Saturday night in company with little Willie Noizet, whom they had succeeded in getting beastly drunk, were arraigned before the recorder yesterday. They were each fined $25 for drunkenness. Griffin gave $100 bond for his appearance in the city court to answer a charge of carrying concealed weapons, and was released. McCreary was held, in default of $100 bond, for furnishing liquor to a minor.

HONORABLY ACQUITTED. — George M. Howell, a colored man who owns a tailor shop on Hunter street, was before Justice Manning yesterday, to answer to a charge of burglary preferred by W. E. Jones. Howell was, until not long since, a tenant of Mr. Jones, and when he moved took with him a coal bin which he had built in his room. Jones was informed at this and had him arraigned upon a charge of burglary, but the court decided that there had been no crime of any kind committed, and Howell was honorably discharged.

THE WHISKY CASES.

Batch of Prohibition Cases Disposed of in the City Court.

The city court met yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, Judge Van Epps presiding.

John G. Sprayberry was arraigned on the charge of violating the prohibition law, and pleaded not guilty. The prosecution failed to establish the defendant's guilt, and he was duly acquitted.

The second case on the docket was the one against W. F. Powell, a young man who was indicted for selling a bottle of whisky for fifty cents. The evidence clearly proved his guilt and he was convicted. Judge Van Epps reserved his sentence until Wednesday morning.

Peter Lynch was arraigned on the charge of selling intoxicating liquors. He put in a plea of not guilty. The Hon. Nat Hammond appeared as his advocate. The state produced several witnesses who testified that they had purchased in the defendant's establishment a beverage of queer named concoctions which, in their opinion, possessed intoxicating qualities. Some of them swore positively that these drinks were composed of alcohol. The defense exercised his statutory privilege of making a statement to the jury. He asseverated his innocence. Evidently his words had a good effect upon the jury.

Mr. Hammond made a powerful speech in behalf of his client.

Judge Van Epps charged the jury briefly and lucidly regarding the law.

After half an hour's deliberation the jury came back into court with a verdict of "not guilty."

Judge Van Epps expressed his approval of the verdict.

The court was about to adjourn when Mr. Glenn asked the judge to recur the case of the state against Philip Breitenbucher, charged with violating the prohibition law. The case was called and Mr. Glenn, in behalf of the accused, entered a plea of "guilty." There were two other cases against Mr. Breitenbucher, and these were not pressed by Solicitor Glenn.

Judge Van Epps then proceeded to pass sentence upon the defendant. He stated that in view of the fact that the defendant had signed a pledge binding himself not to permit any [illegible] in future [illegible] to commence [illegible] costs.

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AN ASSURED SUCCESS.

THE PIEDMONT FAIR DIRECTORS' MEETING LAST NIGHT.

The Preliminary Arrangements Perfected and Much Important Business Transacted—The Time of Holding the Fair Agreed Upon—It will be Held in October—The Committee.

Yesterday was a busy day with the officers and directors of the Piedmont Exposition company. During the afternoon a large number of carriages filled with persons interested went to the Driving park and took a careful survey of the ground. The track is being laid out and the locations for the main buildings are being selected. A meeting of the board was held at the Kimball house last night, and a large amount of business transacted. President Collier announced the executive committee as follows: Messrs. M. C. Kiser, James R. Wylie, D. M. Bain, C. D. Horn, R. B. Bullock, with Vice President Grady and Treasurer Lowry as ex-officio members. Mayor Cooper was also made vice president and ex-officio member of the committee. The time of holding the fair was discussed, and from the 5th to the 20th of October appeared to be the favorite time. The fixing of the exact date was left to the executive committee with power to act. The board, by a resolution, declared in favor of two weeks' fair. The date will certainly be made so as not to conflict with the Waynesboro fair or the state, the only two fairs in Georgia whose dates were declared to the directors. The committee was put to work to get premium lists, which will be ready in two weeks' time.

The election of secretary was then discussed. It was finally decided by motion of Mr. D. M. Bain that the president be authorized to select and appoint a secretary and such clerical help as he needed. Mr. Collier announced that he would make his decision in a day or two. In the meantime clerks are engaged in answering the vast and large amount of mail that has accumulated. Mr. Collier announced that he had secured three rooms for the use of the association in THE CONSTITUTION building at a nominal rent, and that they would be fitted up in time for the future meetings of the board and committees.

Arrangements were made to press the buildings forward as rapidly as possible. Mr. J. C. Peck was employed by the board as superintendent of construction, and will enter upon his duties this morning. Mr. Peck is one of the best builders in the city, and had charge of the construction of all the exposition buildings, putting up the main building at a cost of $45,000, when the least bid was $63,000. Mr Peck wa in consultation with the executive committee until late last night, and will go to work this morning.

Director Meador moved that a committee be appointed to canvass for other subscriptions to the fair. He held that while we had only fifty members, we could easily get a hundred. Mr. Chamberlin seconded this motion, and said he was satisfied there were fifty members who would join if approached. Mr. Bain moved that the directors be divided into committees of threes to canvass the city for subscriptions. This motion was carried. The meeting then adjourned.

The board was enthusiastic and each member pledged himself to attend all the meetings if called daily by the president and executive committee. Every member is in earnest and is determined to make this the grandest fair ever held in this city.

APPROACHES TO THE FAIR.

Mr. Peters has already began a survey for a double line of street cars to the ground. He will probably run a line from Calhoun street in front of Mr. E. C. Peters's residence, back of Peachtree street, and then into the grounds. He will provide for a double track and dummy engines which will carry any number of cars. It is proposed that instead of making a double track on Calhoun street he will make a circuit, going through DeKalb street from the grounds to Peachtree street, this side of Judge Strong's, and double the track on that street from the point named to Major Mims's residence. The Boulevard line is making a survey with a view of extending its line down the Boulevard into the grounds, crossing the Air-Line road. Another company has made a proposition to build a dummy line down Foster street to the Boulevard, out the Boulevard to the grounds and to equip the same in first class manner. Negotiations will be opened with the Air-Line road to run a track into the grounds for handling freight as well as passengers. There is no doubt that proper arrangements can be made with these lines. A very important point is the main street that will lead from Peachtree street to the park. It is proposed to make this street, which is about a quarter of a mile in length, sixty or eighty feet wide, and it is probable that DeKalb street or Culpepper avenue, which is in front of Mr. Culpepper's residence, will be made the main approach.

MISSIONARY MASS MEETING.

Bishops and Presiding Elders of the Methodist Church to Meet at Trinity.

A missionary mass meeting of great interest to Methodists will take place at Trinity church tonight.

There will be four bishops present, namely: Bishop Key of Georgia, Bishop Galloway of Louisiana, Bishop Granbury of Virginia and Bishop Hendrix of Missouri, and perhaps Bishop Wilson of Maryland.

Dr. J. G. John, of Texas, the missionary secretary of the Southern Methodist church, will be present. There will be present also the members of the missionary board of the North Georgia conference, and besides the presiding elders of the conference, with a large number of other distinguished preachers. Homes have been provided among the Methodists of the city for about fifty preachers.

A platform will be erected in the church large enough to hold all the ministers, and a choice selection of music has been prepared for the occasion.

The speeches will be of the highest order. There will be no collection.

The First Methodist church, Trinity, St Paul's, Evans' chapel, Payne's chapel, Park street, Edgewood and Sixth church are all to unite and make the meeting a success. A great occasion is expected.

The visitors have been assigned to homes as follows:

Bishop J. C. Granbery, with J. C. Courtney, 24 Church; Bishop E. R. Hendrix, with E. E. Rawson, 283 S. Pryor; Bishop and Mrs. J. S. Key, with W. P. Pattillo, 167 E. Fair; Dr. I. G. John, with E. E. Rawson, 283 S. Pryor; Dr. I. S. Hopkins, with George Winship; W. E. H. Searcy, with George Winship; J. S. Stewart, with J. S. Boyd (Kimball); C. G. Goodrich and wife, with W. W. Wadsworth, 377 Whitehall; J. F. Ogletree, with F. M. Coker, 66 Washington; J. W. Roberts, with F. M. Coker, 66 Washington; R. J. Powell, with Dr. Chan Jones, South Pryor; M. J. Cofer, with George W. D. Cook, 249 Peachtree; G. W. Duval, with Frank Rice, 198 Peachtree; Wier Boyd, with Frank Rice, 198 Peachtree; G. W. Thomas, with C. W. Motes, 374 Whitehall; T. M. Swift, with George W. D Cook, 249 Peachtree; J. H. McWhorter, with C. W. Motes, 374 Whitehall; J. E. England, with A. A. Nolan, Garnett; C. S. Owens, with Mrs. Redding, 67 Ivy; J. H. Baxter, with Mrs. H. D. Smith, 9 Currier street; P. A. Heard, with E. E. Rawson, 283 South Pryor street; S. P. Richardson with J. W. Lee, 10 W. Peters; W. P. Lovejoy with W. W. Wadsworth, 377 Whitehall; A. C Thomas with Mrs. Redding, 67 Ivy; W. F. Quillian with Dr. J. T. Warnock, 85 Courtland; A. G. Worley with Dr. J. T. Warnock, 85 Courtland; J. F. Mixon and wife with J. W. Lee, 10 W. Peters; G. W. Yarbrough with G. T. Dodd, 99 Washington; T. F. Pierce with G. T. Dodd, 99 Washington; O. B. Quillian with J. M. Holbrook, 75 Washington; F. S. Hudson with T. P. Westmoreland, 56 Cooper; B. Sanders, with Alfred Turner. 34 Walker; W. J. Cotter with T. P. Westmoreland, 56 Cooper; T. J. Edwards with W. T. Wilson, Washington; W. M. Winn and wife with W. W. Clower, 65½ Peachtree; C. A. Conoway with R. E. Nolley, 49 East Cain; S. B. Ledbetter with H. J. Ellis, 72 Chapel; A. D. Echols with R. E. Nolley, 49 East Cain.

The delegates and visitors will go immediately to their homes upon arrival. Such other ministerial visitors who report to Rev. J. W. Lee at Trinity parsonage will be furnished entertainment.

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THE ATLANTA MUSICAL ASSOCIATION

The Second Concert of the Season at DeGive's Last Night.

One of the largest audiences that ever gathered at a musical entertainment in Atlanta was present at DeGive's last night, the occasion being the second concert of the season under the auspices of the Atlanta Musical association. The chorus comprised many of the leading singers of the city, and numbered about fifty voices, all of them fresh, cultivated and in excellent trim for the work before them. The soloists of the occasion were Mrs. Mary Turner Salter, soprano; Mrs. Constantine Sternberg, contralto; Mr. Alex W. Smith, tenor, and Mr. Stephen W. Ryan, bass, all well known to the music-loving people. Simply to say that the chorus was under the baton of Mr. Sumner Salter is sufficient to convey an idea of the perfection that has been attained in phrasing, enunciation and harmonious effect. The programme rendered was as follows:

PART I.

1. Choral ballad—"The Miller's Wooing," Fanning—Chorus.
2. Song—"Good Night, Beloved," Balfe—Mr. H. B. Deas.
3. Part-song—"He that hath a pleasant face," Hatton—Full chorus.
4. Quintette for piano, 3 violins, viola and 'cello, in G Op 191. Reissiger—(two movements,) Scherzo and Andante—Messrs. Salter, A. J. Wurm, DeGive, Adolph Wurm and Bischoff.
5. Song—"The Midshipmite," Adams—Master Stuart McLean.
6. Part-song—"When hands meet," Pinsuti—Full chorus.

PART II.

Selection from "The Messiah," George Frederic Handel. Accompaniments by string quartette and piano. Mrs. C. H. Chase, pianist.

1. Recit—Accompanied—(Tenor)—Comfort Ye Air—(Tenor)—Every Valley, Mr. Alex W. Smith.
2. Chorus—And the Glory of the Lord.
3. Recit. Air—(Alto)—O, Thou That Tellest, Mrs. Sternberg.
4. Quartette and chorus—For Unto us a Child is Born, Mr. Smith, Mrs. Salter, Mrs. Sternberg and Mr. Ryan.
5. Air—(Soprano)—Mrs. Salter.
6. Recitation—Air—(Alto)—He shall Feed His Flock. Air—Soprano)—Come Unto Him, Mrs. Sternberg and Mrs. Salter.
7. Chorus—Lift up Your Heads.
8. Air—(Soprano)—I know that My Redeemer Liveth, Mrs. Salter.
9. Chorus—Hallelujah!

The first portion of the programme was just enough to whet the musical taste for the rich feast which followed, for Handel's glorious "Messiah" was most admirably handled. The chorus work was marked by a breadth of conception, a clean cut rendering and most excellent shading throughout.

The solo parts were sustained in a manner that would have been creditable to professional oratorio singers, and Mrs. Salter, Mrs. Sternberg, Mr. Smith and Mr. Ryan acquitted themselves not only "with credit," but with distinction as well. The gem of the evening was the grand aria, "I Know that My Redeemer Liveth," which Jenny Lind and Parepa Rosa have immortalized, or, rather, which immortalized them.

The concert was a decided success.

Professors in Dentistry to be Elected.

We invite attention to a card in today's issue giving notice of an election for professors to fill the chairs in the dental department of the Southern Medical college.

This new feature in the Southern Medical college is an evidence of progress in that institution and gives to our city an additional attraction in the field of advancement and scientific education.

Every effort in this direction is worthy of encouragement and should be appreciated by our people.

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Mrs. Beckwith's Serious Illness.

It is with deepest sorrow that the very many friends of Bishop Beckwith and his estimable wife have learned of the very serious illness of Mrs. Beckwith. She has been growing worse, slowly but surely, for several days, and last night was very ill, indeed—so ill that it was not thought that she could live until morning. At midnight sorrowing friends telephoned that her death might be expected at any minute.

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RAILROAD NOTES.

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J. M. Culp, general freight agent Louisville and Nashville railroad, is stopping at the Kimball house.

R. D. Mann & Co., No. 4 Kimball house, have received a full supply of European steamship advertising matter of all the steamer lines from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

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U. S. CUSTOM HOUSE, April 25, 1887—9 P. M.

All observations taken at the same moment of actual time at each place.

	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Dew Point.	WIND. Direction.	WIND. Velocity.	Rainfall.	Weather.
Augusta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Savannah	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jacksonville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montgomery	29.86	62	48	W	Light	.00	Clear.
New Orleans	29.88	65	47	NW	Light	.00	Clear.
Galveston	29.97	68	54	SE	Light	.00	Clear.
Palestine	29.95	60	49	NE	15	.00	Fair.
Fort Smith	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Shreveport	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

6 a. m.	29.82	50	43	NW	2	.11	Lt rain.
2 p. m.	29.73	66	46	NW	9	.10	Cloudy.
9 p. m.	29.83	60	55	NW	9	.00	Clear.

Maximum thermometer..... 69
Minimum thermometer..... 45
Total rainfall..... .21

W. EASBY SMITH,
Corporal, Signal Corps, U. S. Army.

NOTE.—Barometer reduced to sea level and standard gravity. The dash (—) indicates precipitation inappreciable.

MEETINGS.

Election of Professors in Dentistry.

All parties concerned are hereby notified that the board of trustees of the Southern Medical college will meet at the office of Judge S. B. Hoyt, Atlanta, Ga., on Friday, the 29th of April, 1887, at 10:30 a. m., to elect professors to the several chairs in the dental department of said institution.

R. C. WORD, M. D.,
sp26-2t Secretary of the Board.

Attention, Calanthe Division No. 2, Uniform Rank Knights Pythias,

Sir Knights: Appear at your armory in full dress uniform today, Tuesday, 26th inst, at 2 o'clock p. m. sharp, for parade, dismounted. By order Sir Kt., Captain.

G. W. SHELVERTON,
Sir Kt. Recorder.

Cœur De Lion Commandery No. 4, Knights Templar.

You are courteously requested to be and appear at your asylum, Masonic hall, mounted, in full uniform, at 2 o'clock p. m. April 26th, for the purpose of participating in the Memorial exercises and decoration of graves of deceased fraters. By order E. C.,

PARK WOODWARD,
B. F. MOORE,
Recorder.

ATLANTA, GA., April 26, 1887.—A regular communication of Gate City Lodge F. & A. M., U. D., will be held tonight at 7:30. Work in the E. A. degree. All Master Masons in good standing are invited to be present. C. F. MALONE, W. M.
JOHN N. FAIN, Secretary.

Attention, Atlanta Artillery.

Order No. —. You are hereby ordered to appear at the armory, No. 72 Marietta street, at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp, in full uniform.

A. L. DEARING, 1st Sergeant. J. F. JONES, Captain Commanding.

Notice.

All members of the Young Men's Co-operative association, of Atlanta, Ga., are urgently requested to meet at W. W. Haskell's office, 27½ Whitehall street, Thursday evening at 4 o'clock sharp.

S. A. DURAND, President.

MAJOR J. M. PATTON.

His Funeral to Occur Today at Ten O'Clock ---A Sketch of His Life.

The funeral of Major J. M. Patton will occur at the Central Presbyterian church at ten o'clock today.

The announcement made yesterday that Major Patton had died on Sunday was received by his many friends with expressions of the deepest regret.

He was born in Asheville, N. C., February 8, 1818, and at the time of his death was nearly seventy years old. He was one of the best of men, and his long life was remarkable for its purity. His father moved from North Carolina to Georgia and a part of Major Patton's boyhood was spent at Cass station. He studied for the bar, was admitted and after practicing a short time was in 1848 appointed secretary to Governor Towns. His brother, who had occupied that position, had died while in office, and Major Patton was appointed his successor. He went to Milledgeville and served until April, 1851, Governor Towns having been re-elected in 1849. In 1851 William Townsley, who was state treasurer, resigned and Major Patton was appointed to the vacancy, serving as state treasurer until the legislature convened a few months afterward. He was not a candidate before that body. The next year he was appointed superintendent of the United States mint at Dahlonega, a position which he held until the secession of Georgia.

He lived in Atlanta from the opening of the war to the time of his death. He connected himself with the Presbyterian church at the age of fourteen, and in 1861 was elected elder of the Central Presbyterian church of Atlanta, under the pastoral care of Rev. J. L. Rodgers. He faithfully, efficiently and conscientiously filled the place for twenty-six years. He was always in the work of the church in more than one capacity, as clerk of its session and an earnest teacher in its Sabbath school, always in his place, having an abiding faith in the promises of his master. He was a man of ability, and on occasion could make an excellent speech, and had a remarkable facility in the composition of difficult papers relating to the work of the session. His integrity and Christian consistency were observed by all, and he enjoyed fully the confidence of all who knew him.

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class "Rough on Dirt" with the ordinary washing compounds. It is a new, different and altogether superior article. A revelation in housekeeping. A boon to women. A new discovery. Beats the world for Kitchen, Laundry, Starching, Bath or Shampoo.

The Dell Knott Combination.

This company will appear in Atlanta next Wednesday in one of the most thrilling dramas of the modern stage, "The Ticket-of-Leave Man." An exchange from one of our most appreciative towns in Georgia says:

The Dell Knott Combination presented "Ticket-of-Leave Man" last night to a good audience that went away well pleased. Harry W. Fenwick as "Bob Brierly," the hero, had the sympathy of the audience by his fine acting. Joseph Case as "Hankshaw" was another good one. Special mention is also due Miss Ida Austin as "Mrs. Willoughby," and Mr. Jerry Herzell as "Melter Moss," who never fails to keep the audience in a roar of laughter. Miss Lydia Knott was charming as "May Edwards." Dell Knott, with his many aliases, deceived not only the detectives, but the audience as well. Miss Clara Knott as "Sam Willoughby" was also very amusing. Tonight they present "Joshua Whitcomb," one of the most laughable comedies on the stage.

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If gray, restores to original color. An elegant dressing, softens and beautifies. No oil nor grease. A Tonic Restorative. Stops hair coming out; strengthens, cleanses, heals scalps, 50c.

IN MEMORIAM.

COLONEL COX TO DELIVER THE MEMORIAL DAY ORATION,

Owing to Captain Jackson's Unavoidable Detention in New York City—The Day to be Generally Observed as a Legal Holiday—Line of March and Full Order of Exercises.

Atlanta's celebration of that day dear to all southern people—Memorial Day—promises to be a success in every particular.

Sunday's CONSTITUTION contained the official programme and order of march. All organizations participating will assemble in front of the capitol, on Marietta street, promptly at 3 o'clock so as to take their positions in the line. At 3:30 the column will move down Broad street to Hunter, and out Hunter to the cemetery, arriving at the cemetery, all carriages will be halted, except that of the orator of the day, the chaplain and the ladies of the Memorial association. The columns will move thence by the main entrance, arriving at a point opposite the confederate monument, where the line will file to the left, assembling around the monument. After music by the band, prayer will be offered by the chaplain, Rev. Dr. Morrison.

An important change has been made in the orator of the day, owing to Captain Harry Jackson's unavoidable absence from the city. Yesterday morning Colonel Thomas, marshal of the day, received the following from Captain Jackson:

NEW YORK, April 23.—My Dear Colonel: It is manifest that I cannot reach Atlanta by Tuesday, 26th instant, and hence I write to express my deep regret that I will be unable to deliver the address on Memorial Day. Important business engagements demand that I should remain at the north all next week and possibly a portion of the week after.

With many, many regrets at my inability to serve you, believe me, sincerely yours,

HENRY JACKSON.

COLONEL L. P. THOMAS, Atlanta.

Upon the receipt of this letter, a consultation of the marshal and his assistants was held, and it was determined to ask Colonel Albert H. Cox to deliver the oration. Colonel Cox kindly consented to serve.

The work of decorating the graves of the honored dead and scattering flowers over the grounds will follow the oration.

It is especially requested that all ex-confederates, whether members of the Fulton county association or not, take part in the exercises. Badges will be furnished to all for the occasion.

Memorial Day being a legal holiday, it will be very generally observed as such by business men and others. Before leaving for Augusta Governor Gordon left orders that all the departments of state be closed for the day. At the postoffice Sunday hours will be observed. The banks will be closed and the various courts have adjourned over until Wednesday. Many business houses will close during the afternoon.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

Annual Meeting of the Fulton County Association Last Evening.

The annual meeting of the Fulton County Confederate Veterans' association, held at the city courtroom last evening, was well attended, about seventy-five members being present.

The preparations for Memorial Day were discussed at length. Upon motion of Captain Hulbert, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, By the Ladies' Memorial association and the Confederate Veterans' association, that the merchants and business men of Atlanta be requested to close their respective places of business on the afternoon of the 26th in order that all may participate in the memorial services.

Dr. H. L. Wilson introduced a resolution to the effect that it be declared the sense of the association that the citizens be respectfully requested to devote all the floral decorations to the graves of our dead heroes.

The question of meeting monthly instead of quarterly was discussed at some length, and upon motion of Captain Hamilton it was decided to meet the third Monday of each month.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows:

President, W. A. Wright.
Vice-President, John Milledge.
Treasurer, Amos Fox.
Secretary, B. J. Davis.
Chaplain, G. B. Strickler.
Executive Committee—Hugh H. Colquitt, W. W. Hulbert, J. G. King, G. T. Fry and L. P. Thomas.

The indications are that there will be a big turn out of veterans in to-day's procession.

Confederate Veterans', Attention.

Headquarters Fulton County Confederate Veterans' Association: All members of this association are urged to meet at the courthouse at half past two o'clock p. m., today, and march to the cemetery.

All confederate veterans, whether members of the association or not, are requested to join with us.

The sons of confederate soldiers are also invited to meet with us and have a place assigned them in the march to the cemetery.

Let every old soldier and every son of a confederate soldier turn out and aid in this solemn tribute of respect to those who died in the service of their country.

W. A. WRIGHT,
President and Commander.
B. J. DAVIS, Secretary.

If you once try Carter's Little Liver Pills for sick headache, billiousness or constipation, you will never be without them. They are purely vegetable, small and easy to take. All druggists sell them.

Cherry Malt acts on the stomach and liver, increasing the appetite, assisting digestion, thereby making it applicable for dyspepsia in its various forms, loss of appetite, headache, insomnia, general debility, want of vitality, nervous prostration, etc., etc. For sale by Rankin & Lamar, Atlanta, Ga. 1y

Come at Last.

Sweet & Orr's overalls and jackets in all sizes, up to 46 waist. Also Sweet & Orr's pants. If you have never used them try them. They are guaranteed not to rip. For sale by A. & S. Rosenfeld, 24 Whitehall, corner Alabama.

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G. W. Adair's Big Auction.

Don't forget to go out on next Wednesday at three o'clock to the sale of those lots near East Tennessee shops and new glass factory. Free ride on Pryor street cars. G. W. ADAIR. 2t

The Atlanta Glass Works.

The work is progressing rapidly on the buildings for the Atlanta Glass works. One furnace is about completed and nearly all the interior is about ready to commence work. The superintendent says he will commence to make glass in ten days, and run the furnaces to test the different material offered for manufacturing glass.

President J. W. Rankin has called for the second installment of amount due on stock subscribed, and the collector will call for it in a few days. The first installment was paid in promptly, and there is no reason to doubt but that the works will be a decided success. Mr. Mathews, who is in charge of the construction, has pushed the work as fast as it could be done.

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Capitol City Land and Improvement Company Stock. The Tolleson Commission Co.
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On city property in Atlanta; three to five years; lowest rates; no delay. Francis Fontaine, 48 Marietta street. 2t

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waiving all the exemptions, with or without blank space for taking mortgages, pronounced the best forms in use. Sent postpaid to any address at the following prices: A book of 100 notes with mortgage clause, 60c; a book of 50 notes with mortgage clause, 35c; a book of 100 ironclad notes without mortgage clause, 40c; a book of 50 without mortgage clause, 25c. Send orders to the Constitution, Atlanta, Ga. d&wtf

Proposals.

E. T., V. & GA. RAILWAY, GEORGIA DIVISION, OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, ATLANTA, Ga., April 22d, 1887.—Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 m. of the 28th day of April for about 30,000 yards earth excavation near the railroad shops, this city. All necessary information may be obtained on application at this office. Right to reject any and all bids not satisfactory, is reserved.

E. H. BARNES, Superintendent.
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BUSINESS AND PLEASURE.

A Bridegroom Combines the Two With Rather Unpleasant Results.

Some time ago, as the readers of THE CONSTITUTION will remember, Mr. E. Lindsley, a Chicago insurance agent, was arrested for violation of the Georgia insurance laws.

This was the result of Lindsley's desire to combine business with pleasure. He is in the employ of the Merchants' and Millers' Mutual of Chicago, and about a month ago was in this city on his wedding tour. Through a misunderstanding of the laws regulating insurance companies, Lindsley, whose company had not been admitted to do business in this state, put in a part of the time endeavoring to secure business for his company. The local insurance men learned of this and when, a day later, Mr. Lindsley went to Augusta, he was arrested at the instance of Mr. H. C. Stockdell, and being brought back to this city, gave bond for his appearance before the city court on yesterday to answer to the charge of violating the insurance laws of the state.

Mr. Lindsley and Mr. W. L. Barnum, president of the company, arrived in the city yesterday, and together with Mr. Stockdell called upon the comptroller general. They stated that Mr. Lindsley's action was due to a misunderstanding concerning the purport of section 2844 of the code, he thinking that by its provisions mutual fire as well as certain mutual life companies are exempted from paying the fees. Both gentlemen stated that there was no desire on their part to evade the law or the penalty for its infringement.

The case did not come up for hearing yesterday, but will probably be heard on Wednesday.

A Single Trial of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing SYRUP for children teething, never yet failed to relieve the baby and overcome the prejudices of the mother. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Beautiful Residence Lots at Auction,

Tomorrow at 3:30 p. m., on Hunter, Mitchell and Jeptha streets. Call for plats. Free ride from our office.

SAMUEL W. GOODE & CO.

He Fell in Love With His Wife,

"The Hornet's Nest," "Without a Home" and "From Jest to Earnest," by E. P. Roe. Price 25c each, 5c extra by mail. John M. Miller, 31 Marietta street. tf

Samuel W. Goode & Co. Sell at Auction

The Dr. Loy property, on West Hunter, Mitchell and Jeptha streets, tomorrow at 3:30 p. m. Handsome ten-room residence and twelve large, shady lots.

"Drap T'Ete."

We received our "Drap T'Ete" Suits, made especially for us. We have them in long Frocks and Sacks in sizes from 34 to 46 breast, in Coats and Vests, and pants up to 48 waist. We guarantee the quality as usual to be perfectly fast colors. Also a large assortment of Black and Colored Alpacas and Sicilian Coats and Vests. Also some new styles in Dress Suits in Sacks, 4-Button Cutaways and Prince Alberts. Don't forget to see those beautiful Cheviots in Square and Round Cut Sacks and Frocks. Prices low at A. & S. Rosenfeld, 24 Whitehall, corner Alabama.

The Atlanta and Alabama Railway.

During the past week several parties from Campbell, Douglas and Carroll counties have visited Atlanta to confer with the projectors of this new railroad. Great enthusiasm prevails all along the line, and large subscriptions are offered in money and valuable lands by those living along the several routes proposed. The necessity and importance of this railroad is beyond question, and the wonder is why it has not been put on foot before now.

Think of one of the richest portions of our state, not twenty miles from us, marketing its cotton product elsewhere. Think of Carrollton, only forty miles away, receiving this season 13,000 bales cotton, and not being able to ship a bale to our market. Look at our reduced cotton receipts—over 35,000 bales less this year than the year before. This new road will run on an air line from Atlanta through all this territory now cut off from us, and continuing to Selma through seven of the finest counties in Alabama, is destined to increase our annual cotton receipts to 200,000 bales, and with due regard and respect for other railroads, it is the only one that can possibly do so, by nature of the richness and remoteness of the country it will traverse.

In addition to this, the various manufacturers of our fair city will find a wide field of demand where they are now unknown.

Our people generally are not aware what an important city Selma, Ala., is. Fully equipped with brains, capital and enterprise, and charmingly located in the midst of an exceptionally favored region, the grand Alabama river flowing by its very doors to the gulf, and always navigable for large steamers every month in the year. A railroad to Pensacola, a railroad to Mobile, a railroad to Meridian and Vicksburg, through Louisiana and Texas and the short line to the Pacific coast; a railroad to the Cahaba coalfields, and a railroad to New Orleans. In connection with this last named one the distance from Atlanta to New Orleans will be lessened 138 miles, thus placing our city forever on the shortest possible route between the great cities of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, etc., and the commercial centers of the south. With this railroad our position will be impregnable, and our predicted population of 100,000 become a fact before the year 1890.

He Fell in Love With His Wife.

By E. P. Roe. Price 25c, 5c extra by mail. John M. Miller, 31 Marietta street. tf

Attend G. W. Adair's sale of lots on East Pryor street and East Tennessee railroad on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. Free ride. 2t

"Ho Ye!" Capital City Land and Improvement Co, Stockholders.

The Capital City Land and Improvement Co, will offer for sale early in May 29 beautiful lots, situated as follows: 8 on Capitol avenue, 13 on Georgia avenue, 5 on Crew street, 3 on Washington street.

These lots are the cream of their property and will be sold, without reserve, at public outcry, and on most liberal terms. Be on lookout for plats and full description. This will be the most desirable property offered this season.

For plats and full information call on FREERSON & SCOTT or Dr. H. L. WILSON, Real Estate Agents, who will conduct the sale. 8p

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One of E. P. Roe's best works. Also, "The Hornet's Nest," "Without a Home" and "From Jest to Earnest." Price 25c each, 5c extra by mail. John M. Miller, 31 Marietta street. tf

The "Dr. Loy Place" at auction tomorrow at 3:30 p. m., by Samuel W. Goode & Co. A ten-room house and twelve vacant lots.

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HOUSES, 3 TO 8 ROOMS, AND VACANT LOTS, from $100 to $3,000, on Ormond, Crew, Frazier, Howell, Cain, Georgia and Capitol avenues, Whitehall, Forsyth and other streets, at reasonable terms. A. F. Holt, agent Wm. A. Haygood, 17½ Peachtree street. apl6-1m 8p

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Auction! Auction!

Without Reserve to the Highest Bidder.

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H. L. WILSON,

Will sell to the highest bidder, Thursday, May 5th, at 3 o'clock p. m. sharp:

1st—The two large vacant lots N. W. corner of Fair and Forsyth streets. This is one of the most desirable vacant corners in the city.

2d—The beautiful row of modern Brick Residences, Nos. 282, 284, 286 and 288 south Forsyth street. Each house has 8 large rooms, gas, hot and cold water on each floor, and finished. These houses must be seen to be appreciated.

3d—They will sell the two desirable houses on Brotherton street, between Whitehall and Forsyth streets, viz: The 8-room, 2-story residence, No. 22, modern and in perfect order, gas, water, etc., and then the desirable double tenement, Nos. 27 and 29, adjoining.

To capitalists or to those seeking a home, this is a golden opportunity. This property will always keep rented and pay big interest on the purchase price. Only few steps from street car line, close in to business, churches, schools, and in every way desirable.

The terms will be made to suit purchasers.

Be on look out for plat and attend the sale.

For any further information call on

FRIERSON & SCOTT,
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Real Estate Agents.

J. C. HENDRIX & CO., Real Estate Column, Auction Sales.

ON TUESDAY, MAY 3d, AT 4 P. M., WE will sell three large lots on corner Richardson and Cooper, 2 large shaded lots on Cooper, near Crumley; 4 on Formwalt, near Crumley street; all lying pretty, in good neighborhood, near street car, near water main; paved streets, etc. Several very elegant residences are now being built in the immediate vicinity, and ex-Mayor Goodwin and several other gentlemen are arranging to build adjoining some of these lots. Don't fail to see them before you purchase you a lot for a home.

We will offer for a few days a splendid six-room central residence, near Peachtree street, which is just as neat and cozy as you could wish, and with surroundings not excelled in Atlanta. Will sell a bargain if called on in a few days.

Large Central Store for Sale.

We will offer for ten days a large two-story building, store, fronting on Whitehall, running through to Broad street; centrally located, being on a prominent business block. We will sell for cash or on reasonable terms. Only offered for ten days. Only once in a way such property can be bought. Call on us and look at the property.

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Lot 80x175, corner Boulevard and Rice.
Lot 50x175, near Morris street.
Lot 80x200, on Jackson, in excellent neighborhood.
Lot 75x150, on Jackson, near Mr. Green's residence.
Lot 70x100, corner Bartow and Luckie; central.
Lot 50x100, Walton street: central.
Lot 100x200, West Peachtree; a beauty.
Lot 56x200, Richardson, near Pryor.
Lot 100x140, corner Gartrell and Fitzgerald.
Ten acres on Air-Line railroad, just outside city.
Three acres on Air-Line railroad, near railroad shops.
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T. J. MALONE,
M. T. CASTLEBERRY,
ap8 tf 8p City Tax Receivers.

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